CX
0
19

00108826

RESEARCH DEPARTMENT BRANCH OF THE SECRETARIAT LIBRARY
No.

REPORT

ON THE

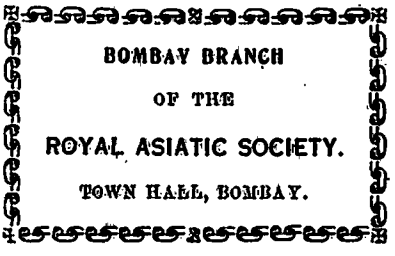
WORKING

OF THE

INDIAN

SOFT COKE CESS COMMITTEE

31st December, 1935.



Digitized with financial assistance from

Government of Maharashtra

on 01 February, 2020

With the Compliments
of the
President.

REPORT

ON THE

WORKING

OF THE

INDIAN

SOFT COKE CESS COMMITTEE

108826

31st December, 1935.

00108826

CONTENTS.

	PAGE.
Note on the formation of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee	1
Present constitution of the Committee	2
Report on the work done during the year ending 1935	3
Manufacture of soft coke	5
Inspection of loading of soft coke wagons at Collieries	8
Advantages of using soft coke	13
How to ignite soft coke	16
Indian Soft Coke Cess Act	28
Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee Rules	33
List of collieries manufacturing soft coke ...	45
List of dealers and depôt-holders of soft coke registered with the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee ..	59
Statement showing the comparative rates (approximate) per standard maund for various kinds of domestic fuel, prevailing in different towns	92
Chart showing despatches of soft coke year by year since 1917 ... ... Facing Page	95
Statement showing the quantity of soft coke despatched from the Bengal and Bihar & Orissa Coalfields year by year since 1917	95
Statement showing the present average cost of soft coke per ton f.o.r. at certain important towns .	96

PAGE.

Statement of receipts and expenditure for the year 1934-35 102

Statement showing arrivals of wagons of soft coke at different towns 103

Comparative statement showing the average expense per head in a family for different kinds of fuel at certain important towns 104

Comparative statement showing quantity of soft coke on which cess has been collected by various Railways during the years ending June, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935 105

LIST OF ILLUSTRATIONS.

Facing Page.

Cooking is easy with soft coke ... Frontispiece.

PAGE.

A typical Indian colliery where soft coke is manufactured 6

A view from the Cinema Film—"Domestic Troubles"—cooking with soft coke 18

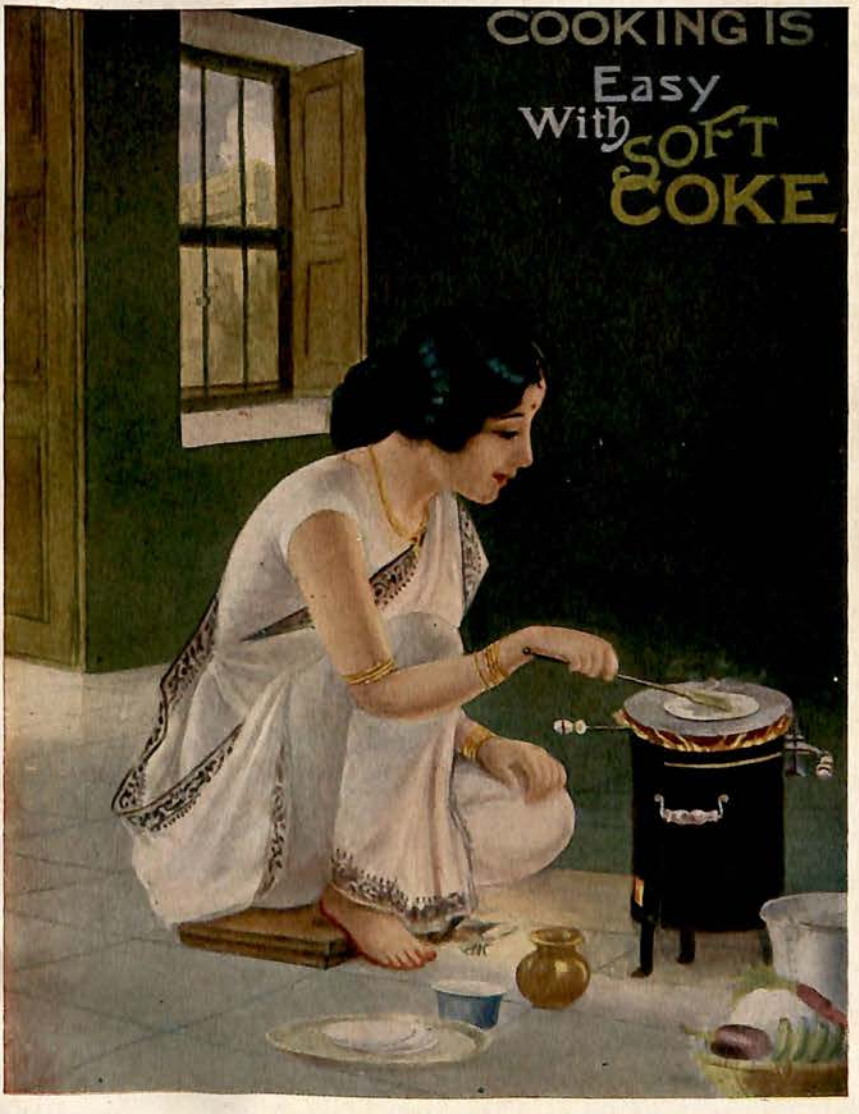
A view of the exhibits of soft coke and ovens, etc., at the Swadeshi Market Museum, Bombay ... 45

Baking of breads (Chapaties) on soft coke fire ... 59

A view of the Committee's stall at Delhi Exhibition, Delhi 1935 81

Sandwich boys parading in the street of Poona ... 92

A Map of India showing the present approximate cost per ton f.o.r. at principal towns with their population 105



COOKING IS EASY WITH SOFT COKE.

Note on the formation of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee.

The remunerative prices obtainable for Indian Coal immediately after the great war led to the rapid increase of production from collieries raising inferior grades of coal. This, coupled with the loss of foreign markets soon led to the flooding of the inland market and the slump which followed was so severe that many collieries were faced with the question of closing down entirely unless some means could be found of bringing about an increase in the demands for Indian coal.

In 1924 the Government of India took up the question of recapturing overseas markets and as a result of the Indian Coal Committee's investigations the Coal Grading Board was established.

The next step was to consider what could be done to stimulate the demand for coal within the country itself.

Coal, as a domestic fuel, is very little used and the Trade considered that the use of soft coke for domestic purposes would especially benefit the second class collieries.

Accordingly, the Indian Legislative Assembly passed the Indian Soft Coke Cess Act of 1929, which received the assent of the Governor General in Council on the 1st October, 1929 and came into force on the 21st June, 1930.

The Act provides for the creation of a fund to be expended by a Committee specially constituted to work in the interests of the soft coke industry of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and to popularise the use of this fuel throughout India.

The constitution of the Committee on 31st December, 1935 was as follows :—

President.

J. R. Harrison, Esq.,
Chief Mining Engineer to the Govt. of India, (Railway Board)—Ex-Officio.

Members.

Rai A. C. Banerjee Bahadur, M.A., C.I.E.,
Nominated by the Govt. of Bengal.

N. Baksi, Esq., I.C.S.,
Nominated by the Govt. of Bihar & Orissa.

M. N. Mukherjee, Esq., M.L.C.,
Rao D. D. Thacker Bahadur,
N. H. Ojha, Esq.,
K. Dutt, Esq.,
B. K. Roy, Esq.,
B. N. Mondal, Esq.,
B. P. Agarwalla, Esq.,
R. H. Worthington, Esq.,
Nominated by the Indian Mining Federation.

S. N. Banerji, Esq., *Secretary.*

The Report on the working of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee, 31st December, 1935.

Popularisation of soft coke.

As in previous years the policy of the Committee for popularising soft coke as a domestic fuel was vigorously pursued and every effort has been made to bring consumers, dealers and manufacturers into touch with one another by means of incessant publicity and propaganda particularly in places where soft coke is little known.

Method of propaganda.

The activities of the Committee now extend over the Punjab, United Provinces, Delhi, Bombay, Kathiawar States, Madras and the East Coast Section of the Bengal Nagpur Railway. The principal towns of these Provinces and States with a comparatively large population have been selected for propaganda purposes.

The Committee's propaganda staff have carried out house to house visits and practical demonstrations have been made with a view to convincing householders as to the suitability of soft coke as a domestic fuel. The economic value and advantages of soft coke over other fuels have also been explained and soft coke and portable ovens distributed free at all propaganda centres. Lady Officers of the Committee have carried on work amongst the women folk with great success, and the staff have rendered all possible help to consumers to obtain supplies of soft coke. Permanent ovens, angethies, chullas or sagries of mud or bricks, costing only

a few pice, have been constructed by the staff at many houses in the different towns.

The permanent ovens are very much appreciated by householders and it is gratifying to note that the families in whose houses permanent ovens were constructed have now become regular users of soft coke.

Propaganda Centres.

The Committee maintained propaganda centres at Agra, Ahmedabad, Allahahad, Bombay, Cawnpore, Delhi, Lahore, Lucknow, Meerut, Rajkot, Moradabad, Poona, Madras and Berhampur (Ganjam) during the year 1934. Additional centres were opened in 1935 at Mirzapur, Muttra, Bareilly and Gorakhpur. Meerut, Gorakhpur and Moradabad Centres have been closed.

The Committee extended their activities in North & South Bihar and propaganda has been carried on in the villages in co-operation with the Director of Industries, Bihar and Orissa.

Propaganda Depots.

In Madras the Committee have induced dealers to open sub-depots in different parts of the city, a nominal rent being sanctioned for such depots. Similar rent free depots have also been sanctioned in Bombay.

Grant of Bonus.

In order to stimulate trade and encourage depot holders in Bombay, the Committee have sanctioned a bonus on the sales of soft coke.

Publicity.

The publicity work of the Committee has been carried on through newspaper advertisements and distribution of handbills and leaflets. Folders explaining how the fuel should be ignited and the advantages

derived from its use have also been issued. Pictorial posters have been displayed in many towns and enamel signs exhibited at important stations on all the principal Railways.

The Committee's films have been shown free to the public and advertisements were displayed by means of lantern slides.

Sandwich men, carrying posters and literature on soft coke paraded on suitable occasions.

A Publication was issued during the year, containing much useful information on the use of soft coke and also, a calendar for 1935.

"Participation in Exhibitions, Melas and Fairs."

The Committee participated in many Exhibitions and Melas, the most notable being at Delhi, Cawnpore, Bareilly, Meerut, Cuttack, Berhampur (Ganjam) and Madras. Extensive publicity and propaganda were carried out by means of posters, leaflets, handbills, cinema shows and practical demonstrations. Samples of soft coke and chullas or sagries, suitable for burning the coke were distributed free. Arrangements were also made for the actual baking of "Roties" or "Chapaties" at these Melas and Fairs.

The Committee have been awarded Medals and Certificates of merit by the various Exhibition Authorities, for practical demonstrations of the use of soft coke.

MANUFACTURE OF SOFT COKE.

Coal is stacked in large heaps varying from 15 to 20 tons and ignited through a hole in the top. The heaps are then covered with a layer of slack, dust coal or ash and

allowed to burn for 3 to 4 days until the heap becomes ablaze, the object of the process being to drive off most of the volatile matter which in the form of smoke, is so disagreeable when raw coal is burnt in an open hearth. Quenching is then resorted to and the result is a mass of charred coal, half burnt coal and more or less completely burnt coal, technically known to the market as soft coke.

Quality of soft coke.

The quality of soft coke supplied by many collieries is often inferior. Stony coals are occasionally used in the manufacture and the result is that a cheap and inferior commodity is placed on the market at a very low price.

It is generally known that good soft coke should contain only 7% to 10% of volatile matter and a relatively low ash and moisture content.

(The trouble is to get the manufacturers to realise the importance of this.)

This is one of the difficulties with which the Committee are faced as dealers do not buy on any specification as regards quality and consumers are only too eager to purchase in the cheapest market. Some of the advantages put forward in favour of soft coke are therefore difficult to substantiate and sales are adversely affected.

Improvement in the method of manufacturing soft coke.

There is also room for improvement in the process of manufacture and with a view to ascertaining how a better quality of coke can be obtained the Committee solicited the help of the Research Department of the Indian School of Mines.

A typical Indian Colliery where soft coke is manufactured.

The sum of Rs. 2,400 was set aside for this work and a local Sub-Committee was formed consisting of two members of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee and local representative of the soft coke manufacturers.

As a result of their investigations some very useful information on the manufacture of soft coke has been recorded. Samples of soft coke from well known collieries have also been taken and analysed and a few of the results are tabulated below :—

Volatile matter.	*Ash.*	*Volatile matter.*	*Ash.*
24·0	27·2	13·5	21·8
21·2	28·9	16·0	18·7
21·4	19·5	6·8	20·1
16·9	20·0	2·8	18·4
10·7	20·8	9·89	21·08
13·5	25·3	10·37	22·15
15·3	33·9	12·12	18·16
13·1	31·3	12·61	23·72
24·83	12·8	16·86	24·39
11·2	23·1	11·31	20·57
15·15	29·3		

The poor resources of the Committee are a great handicap as they do not admit of vigorous propaganda being carried out on a more extensive scale and, in a vast country like India, it will be some considerable time before the Committee's labours reap their reward.

Other factors which appear to handicap the popularity of soft coke are that good soft coke is not always available in the market at a reasonable price and, the cost of transport

to places far removed from the Coalfields is prohibitive, indeed, there are many areas where soft coke has not yet been heard of.

The Committee are confident, however, that in certain Provinces soft coke of average quality can compete favourably in price with wood or charcoal. This is borne out by the fact that in the cities and towns where propaganda work has been carried out the sales of soft coke have steadily increased, as will be seen from the figures given in Appendix " H."

In response to the general notification issued in July, 1930 the names of collieries manufacturing soft coke, as also the names of dealers and depôt-holders, have been registered and every endeavour is made by the Committee and its officers to bring colliery owners, dealers and consumers into touch with each other.

Inspection of loading of soft coke wagons at collieries.

In order to maintain the good quality and loading of soft coke the Committee have arranged for the inspection of the loading of soft coke wagons in the Jharia Coalfield (Raneegunj and Mugma Coalfields will be dealt with later) at such collieries as are prepared to have this done. With a view to facilitating supervision and inspection the Collieries in the Jharia Coalfield have been grouped as under :—

Group—A.

All collieries East of the Jharia-Patherdih Railway Line.

Group—B.

All collieries West of the Jharia-Patherdih Railway Line and East of the Kusunda-Bansjora Railway Line.

Group—C.
All collieries in the Katras-Khanodih Section.

Each Group has one Sub-Committee of three members selected by the colliery owners themselves. A representative of the Coal Merchants' Association, Jharia has also been co-opted in each of the three Sub-Committees.

A list of the Collieries which have agreed to work to the above scheme is given below. The list is by no means a comprehensive one and the names of collieries which agree to join in the scheme will be published from time to time.

Mg. Agents or Owners and Address.	Name of Colliery.
A. C. Banerji & Company, 3/1, Bankshall Street, Calcutta.	New Jinagora Nichitpur West Barakar
Angarpathra Colliery Company, P. O. Katrasgarh, Manbhoom.	Angarpathra
B. K. Roy, Kesalpur House, P. O. Katrasgarh, Manbhum.	Ramkanali New Lakurka Benidih
B. N. Mondal & Company, 22, Canning Street, Calcutta.	Kenduadih and Khas Kenduadih
Central Alkusa Colliery Co., C/o Pure Jharia Colliery, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	Gondudih
Dhansar Coal Co., Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	Dhansar

Mg. Agents or Owners and Address.	Name of Colliery.
Dhariajoba Colliery Coy., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	East Bhuggutdih
Emerald Coal Company, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	West Benidih
Golukdih Colliery Company, Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	Golukdih
G. P. C. & Company, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	Khas Jinagora
Gonshadih Coal Company, Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	Gonshadih
Karam Chand Thapar & Bros., Ltd., 5, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.	Madhuband Koiludih
Pure Jharia Colliery Coy., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	Pure Jharia New Pure Jharia Pure Jharia East
The Bihar Coal Company, P. O. Bansjora, Manbhum.	Central Bansjora Khas
B. C. Dutt, Mg. Agents—Isabella Coal Coy., Nudkhurkee P. O., Manbhum.	Nudkhurkee
B. Jewells & Company, P. O. Kusunda.	Busserya
Bagdigi Kujama Collieries, Ltd , P. O. Jharia.	South Kujama

Mg. Agents or Owners and Address.	Name of Colliery.
The Central Jeenagora Coal Co., Ltd., 17, Harish Mukherjee Road, Calcutta.	Central Jeenagora
The Ghusick Coal Coy., Ltd., Kalipahari, E. I. Railway.	Kalipahari
Ghose's Tetturia Colliery (1929) Ltd., 8, Canning Street, Calcutta.	Tetturia
J. P. Lalla, Esq., P. O. Katrasgarh.	Toondu Khas
Keshavji Pitambar & Bros., Jharia P. O.	Kujama
North Mosila Colliery Coy., 9, Clive Row, Calcutta.	North Mosila
R. N. Bagchi & Bros.' Dobary Colliery Ltd., P. O. Jharia, Manbhum.	Dobary
Ganjee Dossa & Sons, P. O. Jharia.	North Kujama

Soft coke dealers or consumers who desire to have the loading of their soft coke wagons inspected at the above mentioned collieries are requested to furnish the Committee with the following information, in advance, to allow for inspections to be made.

(1) Name of colliery and date of placing order.

(2) Quality of coke to be supplied.

(3) Approximate date of loading at the colliery.

No charges will be made for inspection.

False prejudice against using soft coke.

The introduction of soft coke, as a substitute for fuels which have been used in various parts of the country from time immemorial is no easy task and, in certain areas the Committee have experienced great difficulty in removing the prejudice that food cooked on a soft coke fire is injurious to health.

Soft coke is used as a domestic fuel by millions of people throughout India, particularly in Bengal. Many European hotels use soft coke and complaints against it are seldom heard of.

Smoke is a great danger to public health especially in cities and towns as may be seen from the following passage from a report of the Bengal Smoke Nuisances Commission :—

> " Medical Authorities state that in large congested towns the death rate from breathing organ diseases is a fair index of smoke pollution of the air.
>
> Smoke poisons plants and food supplies, corrodes buildings, lowers the public vitality, facilitates the contraction of other diseases, and cuts off the sun's health-giving ultra-violet rays."

The special Committee appointed by the Ahmedabad Municipality in January, 1931, to enquire into the Smoke Nuisance Question requested the Municipality to urge the public to make use of soft coke which gives off little smoke. It is pointed out that besides being cheap in price, the heat it gives out is much greater than in the case of firewood or charcoal and lasts longer.

Advantages of using soft coke.

Some of the advantages derived from the use of soft coke as a domestic fuel are enumerated below :—

1. Cooking is made easier.

2. Soft coke is easily ignited and the fire burns with a bright and cheerful glow for several hours.

3. In burning very little smoke is given off and, unlike wood or dung it is free from disagreeable odours and injurious gases.

4. The heat can be regulated as required by means of a damper or by sprinkling ash over the fire.

5. Soft coke is easily stored and unlike wood and charcoal is not so affected when exposed to the weather.

6. It can be had from the local market at a fixed price all the year round and there is no necessity of keeping heavy stocks.

7. It is the cheapest of all fuels. Its efficiency is twice that of wood fuel (Babul) and about three times that of cow-dung or charcoal.

8. It is safe to stock, handle and burn, and is absolutely dependable for its service at all times.

India is primarily an agricultural country. Cow-dung is common and forms one of the best manures but is wasted when used as a domestic fuel.

If however soft coke is employed instead of cow-dung this rich fertiliser can be used with far greater advantage to increase the agricultural products of the country.

The office of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee is in the Secretariat Buildings, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta and the Committee welcome enquiries of any description in connection with the soft coke industry.

The addresses of the Propaganda Centres of the Committee are given below :—

Agra	...	3024, Chillee Int Road, Agra.
Ahmedabad	...	Lal Darwaja, Ahmedabad.
Allahabad	...	2, Hewett Road, Allahabad.
Bareilly	...	Nanital Road, Bareilly.
Berhampore (Ganjam)		Berhampore (Ganjam).
Bombay	...	York Building, 232, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.
Cawnpore	...	Dr. Samad Buildings, Latouche Road, Cawnpore.
Delhi	...	Moti Katra, Egerton Road, Delhi.
Lahore	...	Punjab National Bank Building, Maclagan Road, Lahore.
Lucknow	...	1, Karimulla Buildings, Abbot Road, Lucknow.
Madras	...	16-17, Second Lane Beach, Madras.
Mirzapur	...	Wellesleyganj, Mirzapur.
Muttra	...	Chawk Bazar, Muttra.
Poona	...	359 A, Rastespeth, Poona City.
Rajkot	...	Harishanker Pandya Pleader's Building, Rajkot.

Any particulars relating to soft coke may be had from the above offices and the staff will be only too pleased to give a practical demonstration in the use of soft coke or advise consumers as to their supplies.

A list of the collieries will be found in Appendix "A" and the names and addresses of depôt-holders and dealers in the various towns will be found in Appendix "B."

The various rates paid for different kinds of fuel used for domestic purposes, *viz.*, wood, charcoal, cow-dung and soft coke have also been obtained. (Appendix "C.")

A chart showing the quantity of soft coke despatched from the Bengal and Bihar Coalfields during the past 17 years will be found in Appendix "D."

A statement showing the quantity of soft coke despatched from the Bengal and Bihar Coalfields during the past 18 years will be found in Appendix "E."

A statement showing the present approximate cost of soft coke per ton free on rail at certain important towns will be found at Appendix "F."

A statement of the audited accounts of the Committee for the year 1934-35 will be found in Appendix "G."

A comparative statement showing the arrival of wagons of soft coke at different towns will be found at Appendix "H."

A statement showing the average expense per head in a family of 10 members for different kinds of fuel at certain important stations will be found in Appendix "I."

A comparative statement showing the quantities of soft coke on which cess has been collected by various Railways during the years ending June, 1932, 1933, 1934 & 1935 is at Appendix "J."

HOW TO IGNITE SOFT COKE.

Method 1.

Place a thin layer of charcoal, about $1\frac{1}{4}$" in depth, on the iron grate of the "Angethi" and ignite with waste paper or dry leaves. When the charcoal is burning freely add gently, soft coke, $\frac{1}{2}$" to 1" in size to the height of 3 to 4 inches.

Blow the fire from the top of the "Angethi" or "Chulla" so that the draught is forced in. In 3 to 5 minutes the coke fire will be fully ablaze and little smoke or smell will be given off as shown in the illustration below :—

Method 2.

Soft coke can also be ignited in the following manner :—

Collect a few chips of wood or cow-dung cakes and ignite in the ordinary way. When these are burning freely add soft coke $\frac{1}{2}$" to 1" in size, gently on to

the fire up to a height of 3 to 4 inches. In a very short time the fire will be well lighted as shown in figures 1, 2 and 3 below :—

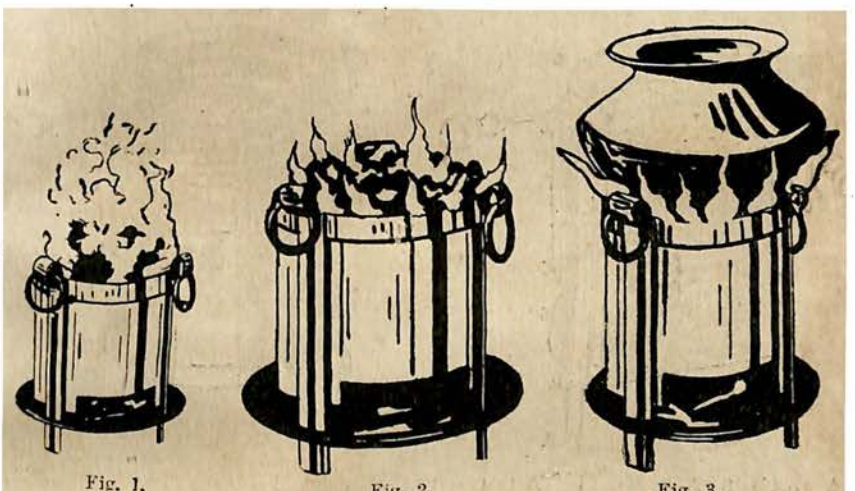


Fig. 1. When the Sagri is burning wood fuel or cow-dung.

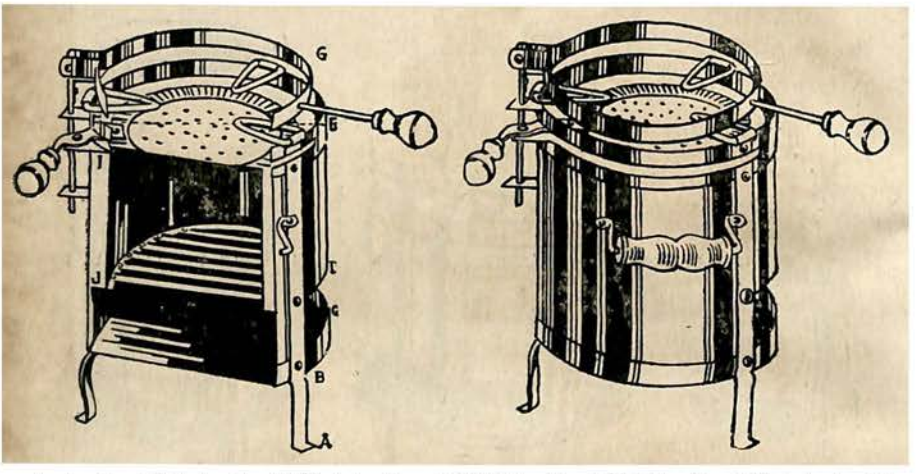
Fig. 2. When wood fuel or cow-dung is burning, soft coke is then added.

Fig. 3. When the soft coke is burning freely the Handi should be placed in position.

Soft coke can be used in the ordinary sagri (chulla) used for burning charcoal but better results are obtained if the sagri is made slightly deeper (about 5 to 6 inches).

Portable fireplaces, Sagries or Chullas or Angethies.

The Committee have adopted a special type of portable fireplace for burning soft coke, an illustration of which is given below.



A to C = 3″ A to E = 11¾″ A to G = 13½″ C to D = 1¾″ E to F = 8¼″ I to J = 5″

The following testimonials from Indian gentlemen, Businessmen, Lawyers, Doctors, and Journalists speak for themselves :—

I have pleasure in saying that I have used, in my house, "Soft Coke" now popularised by the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee and have found it to have all the excellent properties claimed by the Committee. The most important considerations for its use, I think, are the absolute absence of smoke and injurious gases and the rapid ignition of the fuel. The heat also can be very easily regulated and every kind of food can be cooked on the fire. I can very confidently recommend this for general use by the public.

(Sd.) S. DUTT, M.A., P.R.S., D.Sc. (Lond.),
Professor in Organic Chemistry,
Allahabad University.

A view from the Cinema Film—"Domestic Troubles"—Cooking with soft coke.

The Lady Propaganda Officer of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee has been supplying soft coke to us for some time. It has been found to be smokeless and economical in use. She also made a chulla at our place and it was satisfactorily done.

(Sd) Mrs. C. Y Chintamani,
Allahabad

Soft coke gives out little smoke, can be lighted quicker than the ordinary coal, and is more economical than any other fuel. I am further assured that food cooked on soft coke is not injurious to health. Soft coke has been in use in my household for about a month, and it has been found to be much more satisfactory in every respect than ordinary coal, or charcoal, or wood fuel.

(Sd.) C. Y. Chintamani,
Allahabad.

The Lady Canvasser of Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee came to me and demonstrated the use of soft coke. It is very good and smokeless. She also showed me different kinds of ovens and how to use them. I, too, myself lighted the soft coke. It is far better than charcoal.

It is admirably suited for the ladies because it gives no trouble to the eyes on account of smoke or does not cause headache. I am using it.

(Sd.) Wife of the Late Dr. M. A. Ansari,
Delhi.

Using soft coke for fire is very profitable. It is much better than other coal. By using it, expenses can be curtailed a good deal. I think every one should burn soft coke.

(Sd.) MRS. SAHNI,
Wife of Mr. J. N. Sahni,
Editor, Hindusthan Times, Delhi.

Most highly satisfied with the demonstration of soft coke particularly in cooking the chapaties. They are as good as any other fuel used for this purpose if not better.

(Sd.) M. S. ANEY, M. L. A.,
Delhi.

I have had some experiments made with soft coke for family kitchen purposes and find the use of soft coke far cheaper and more uniform than either the charcoal or wood fuel.

(Sd.) T. S. AVANASHILINGHAM CHETTY, M. L. A.,
Delhi.

It gave us very great pleasure to visit the demonstration stall of the Soft Coke Cess Committee (at Delhi Exhibition).

(Sd) K. C. NEOGI,
SATISH CH. SEN,
S. K. MAHAPATRA,
Members, Legislative Assembly (Delhi).
15-3-34

We visited the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee's stall at the All India Industrial Exhibition (Delhi), and are glad to testify that great use can be made of the soft coke which sells at half the price of ordinary charcoal.

(Sd.) S. C. Mitra,
Bhupat Sing,
Members, Legislative Assembly,
Delhi—3-4-34.

I was introduced to soft coke by one of the Lady Canvassers of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee at the beginning of this cold weather. I should record the saving the use of soft coke effected in my household expenses. It practically halved my bill for fuel. This in itself should be a recommendation for the recognition of soft coke as an aid to 'domestic economy' where 'economy' is the prime consideration.

(Sd.) S. Ratnam,
Assistant Accountant General.
(Delhi) 3-4-34.

I have used an angethi for soft coke. It served the purpose very well and in no time got lighted. I recommend this to every one who is anxious for economy and good service.

(Sd.) S. M. Sohanlal,
Wife of Mr. Sohanlal,
Municipal Secretary.
Delhi, 7-4-34.

I believe that soft coke is really good. It is cheaper and more economical than ordinary fuel. I wish the Committee every success.

(Sd.) P. N. SAPRU, M A., LL.B., BAR-AT-LAW,
Hon'ble Member of the Council of State,
Allahabad, 16-9-34.

I have been using soft coke for boiling water and heating rooms. I find it very economical for these purposes. Once the soft coke is ignited it burns for six to seven hours and gives far more heat for a longer period than ordinary charcoal which is soon consumed.

(Sd.) KRISHNA RAM,
Editor, the Leader.
(Allahabad) 13-1-34.

I have pleasure to certify that I have been using Soft Coke in my family for the last eight months with entire satisfaction. I am extremely thankful to the lady canvasser of the Soft Coke Cess Committee for coming to my place every now and then and giving me necessary instructions regarding the use of this fuel. I find that my expenses on fuel have gone down considerably, say from Rs. 15 to Rs. 4 since I have begun to use this coal on the recommendation of the lady canvasser. She takes a very great interest in giving every possible help to the consumers. I have recommended this fuel to some of my friends and they too speak well of the lady canvasser and the coal.

I wish every success to the Committee and the lady canvasser.

(Sd.) MRS. RAGHUBIR CHANDRA,
Lucknow, 8th November, 1935.

It is more than six months when SOFT COKE popularised by the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee was recommended to me by a friend; subsequently, I visited the Committee's office at Bombay and a successful demonstration was arranged at my place through the Assistant Propaganda officer working in the suburban area; since then I am using it and have found it more economical than other fuels or coke which were formerly used in my household.

It is found to be free from smoke. I am further assured that SOFT COKE is not injurious to health; moreover, it burns alike wet or dry and keeps the kitchens clean. I think the Committee would do well to continue their activities of popularising SOFT COKE as domestic fuel amongst the large public of this place.

(Sd.) CÆSAR D'MELLO,
President,
Andheri and Vileparle Municipalities.

I have great pleasure in certifying that the use of the soft coke is both hygienic and economical. I have had sufficient experiment with it and I am in a position to mention that I have found the soft coke very satisfactory in every respect.

I recommend this to every home and I hope my opinion will be borne out by all.

(Sd.)
Principal,
Montessori School, Vileparle,
18th August, 1935.

On the suggestion of Mr. Nanak Chand I am using Soft Coke for the last two years. I have found it economical and sanitary. I have recommended it to many of my friends as it is a good substitute for any other fuel.

I strongly recommend its use to the public.

(Sd.) DR. LAL CHAND KAPUR,
Physician and Surgeon,
Lahore, 2nd November, 1935.

I have used, "Soft Coke" now popularised by the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee and have found it to have all the excellent properties claimed by the Committee. The most important considerations for its use, I think, are the absolute absence of smoke and injurious gases and the fire lasts for quite a long time. I should record the saving the use of "SOFT COKE" effected in my Hospital expenses. It practically halved my bill for fuel. This in itself should be a recommendation for the recognition of, Soft Coke as an aid to "domestic economy" where "ECONOMY" is the prime consideration. Every kind of food can be cooked on Soft Coke fuel. I can very confidently recommend the use of Soft Coke fuel for general use by the public.

(Sd.) MRS. P. R. VAKIL,
Medical Officer,
K. E. M. Hospital, Poona No. 2,
16th November, 1935.

Certified that at the suggestion of the Supervisor, Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee, Poona 2, we started using SOFT COKE in our house for cooking purposes and I am glad to say that we were highly pleased with the results. The coke burnt so well in the Shegries (ovens) without smoke or bad odour and the average monthly expense was also far below than what it cost us before when we were using charcoal. I strongly recommend the use of SOFT COKE in every household and thus encourage an Indian product which is now becoming popular all over the country.

(Sd.) S. C. MOODLIAR,
K. I. H. (1st Class),
Sardar Moodliar Road,
Poona 2. (19th November, 1935.)

I have tried the use of soft coke at my house. It gives better heat when once lighted and is cheaper in price too. I recommend my sisters to try soft coke for their domestic cooking purposes.

(Sd.) LILAWATI MUNSHI,
(Wife of Mr. K. M. Munshi).
Advocate, Bombay, 10-4-34.

During the last Nauchandi Fair the Propaganda Officer of the Soft Coke Cess Committee gave a few demonstrations of soft coke in my presence and told me the advantages of its use.

I ordered for a maund of coke and an angethi then. I am using the coke since then. No doubt it is economical and smokeless. Besides in the city this is always a question

where to store fuel for rainy season specially in small houses. But by use of coke this difficulty will be removed as I am told it will burn alike wet or dry and will generally be had dry and at the same rate in all seasons.

(Sd.) SUPERINTENDENT—AGRICULTURE,
Government Agriculture Farms,
Meerut, 9-5-34.

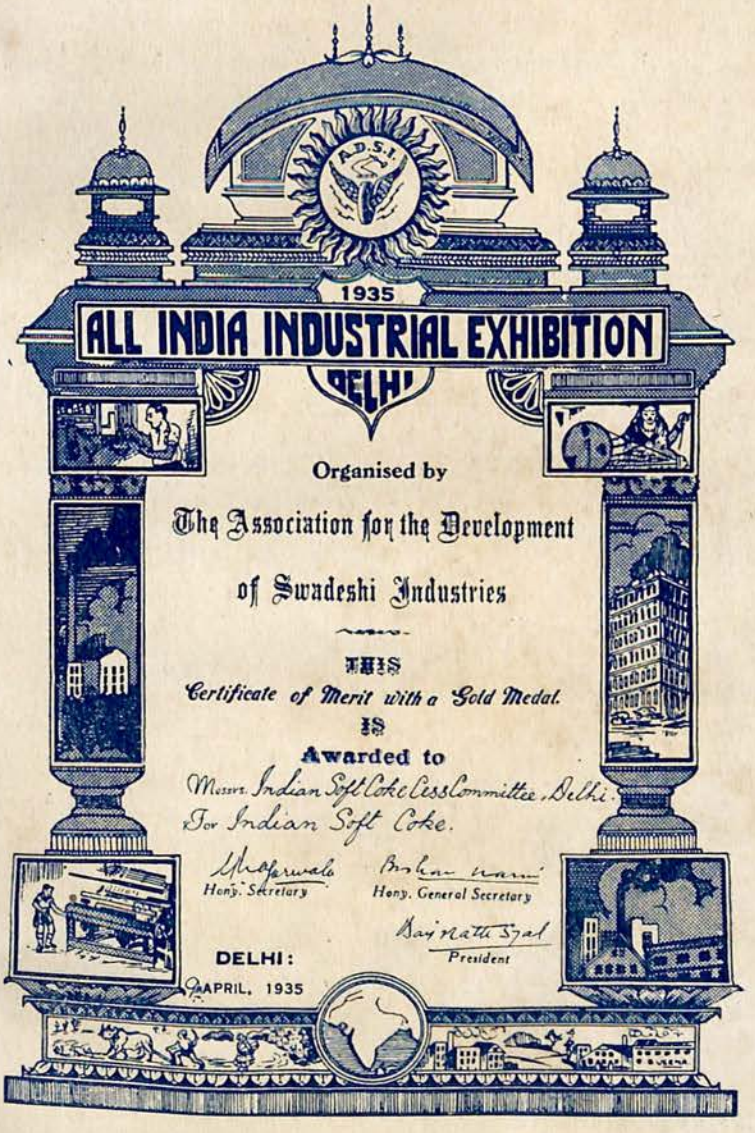
I have been using soft coke in my house for cooking purposes. I find it quite satisfactory for it gives no smoke and the fire lasts for quite a long time. I find it very economical and recommend it for all purposes.

(Sd.) D. DAVID.
Lady Doctor, Lady Willingdon Hospital,
Lahore.

It is more than a year when soft coke was brought to my notice and its use demonstrated to me. Since then it has been used in my household.

During winter I found it very economical in hearth fires. It is practically smokeless. In fact I have been recommending its use to those of my eye patients whose eyes are sensitive to smoke and foul gas from ordinary fuel. I believe soft coke has been a great blessing to housewives.

(Sd.) K. N. TANDON, EX. I.M.S.,
Eye Specialist,
Meerut.


A.D.S.I.
1935
ALL INDIA INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION
DELHI
Organised by
The Association for the Development
of Swadeshi Industries
THIS
Certificate of Merit with a Gold Medal.
IS
Awarded to
Messrs. Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee, Delhi
for Indian Soft Coke.
Hony. Secretary
Hony. General Secretary
President
DELHI:
APRIL, 1935

MEERUT

NAUCHANDI INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION 1935.

Silver

MEDAL

Awarded to "The Soft Coke Gas Committee.

For Easy igition in soft coke

7-4-1935.

Chairman,
DISTRICT BOARD, MEERUT.

MEERUT PRINTING WORKS, MEERUT.

ओ३म्

ALL INDIA

सत्यमेव

SWADESHI EXHIBITION

धर्मचर

Arya Vidya Sabha,

BAREILLY
1935

कृण्वन्तो विश्व मार्यम्

CERTIFICATE

AWARDED TO

Indian Soft Coke
ess Committee
Bareilly

Prior Swakeshi and Swaraj Pat Ltd Co

THE MITRA PRESS BAREILLY

Secretary

President.

Orissa

Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition

CUTTACK

Class First

Certificate of Merit

Awarded to Mr. H. K. Bannerji, Propaganda Officer. Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee.

for exhibiting the goods of

Showing demonstration of lighting soft coke in the Exhibition.

Honorary Secretary

CUTTACK.
The 13th February 1935

President

L. N. P

ACT No. VIII of 1929

and

RULES MADE THEREUNDER.

ACT No. VIII of 1929.

[PASSED BY THE INDIAN LEGISLATURE.]

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 1st October, 1929.)

An Act to provide for the levy of a cess on soft coke despatched by rail from collieries in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar & Orissa.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the creation of a fund to be expended by a Committee specially constituted in this behalf for the promotion of the interests of the soft coke industry in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar & Orissa;

AND WHEREAS for this purpose it is expedient to levy a cess on soft coke despatched by rail from collieries in the said provinces;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Indian Soft Coke Cess Act, 1929.

(2) It extends to the whole of British India, except Aden.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, appoint.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) " Committee " means the Soft Coke Cess Committee constituted under section 4;

(*b*) " prescribed " means prescribed by rules made under this Act; and

(*c*) " soft coke " means all coke which is unsuitable for metallurgical purposes.

Imposition of soft coke cess.

3. (1) There shall be levied and collected on all soft coke despatched by rail from collieries in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar & Orissa a cess at the rate of two annas per ton.

(2) The cess shall be collected by the Railway Administrations concerned by means of a surcharge on freight and shall be paid to the Committee, after deduction of the expenses of collection (if any), in such manner as may be prescribed.

Constitution of Soft Coke Cess Committee.

4. (1) The Governor General in Council shall constitute a Committee, consisting of the following members, to receive and expend the proceeds of the cess :—

(*i*) the Chief Mining Engineer to the Railway Board, *ex-officio ;*

(*ii*) one person nominated by the Local Government of Bengal ;

(*iii*) one person nominated by the Local Government of Bihar and Orissa ;

(*iv*) seven persons nominated by the Indian Mining Federation ; and

(*v*) one person nominated by the Indian Mining Association :

Provided that, if within the period prescribed in this behalf, any authority or body fails to make any nomination which it is entitled to make under this section, the Governor General in Council may himself nominate a member to fill the vacancy.

(2) The Chief Mining Engineer to the Railway Board shall be *ex-officio* President of the Committee.

(3) Where a nominated member dies, resigns, ceases to reside in British India or becomes incapable of acting, the Governor General in Council may, on the recommendation of the authority or body which would have been entitled to make the nomination if it had been a first nomination under sub-section (1), or where such recommendation is not made within the prescribed period, then on his own initiative, nominate a person to fill the vacancy.

(4) No act done by the Committee shall be questioned on the ground merely of the existence of any vacancy in, or any defect in the constitution of the Committee.

Application of proceeds of soft coke cess.

5. The proceeds of the cess and any other monies received by the Committee shall be applied to meeting the expenses of the Committee and the cost of such measures as it may consider advisable to take for promoting the sale and improving the methods of manufacture of soft coke. '

Keeping and auditing of accounts.

6. (1) The Committee shall keep accounts of all monies received and expended under section 5.

(2) Such accounts shall be examined and audited annually by auditors appointed in this behalf by the Governor General in Council; and such auditors may disallow any item which has, in their opinion, been expended out of any monies so received otherwise than as directed by or under this Act.

(3) If any item is disallowed, an appeal shall lie to the Governor General in Council, whose decision shall be final.

Power to make rules.

7. (1) The Governor General in Council may, after consulting the Committee and after previous publication, make rules to carry out the purposes of this Act.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for—

(*a*) the regulation of the nomination of members of the Committee, and the procedure of the Committee,

(*b*) the regulation of the levy, collection and payment of the cess, and

(c) the form of accounts to be kept and the publication of an abstract of such accounts with the report of the auditors thereon.

(3) All such rules shall be published in the Gazette of India.

Time during which sections 2 to 7 are to remain in force.

8. Sections 2 to 7 shall remain in force only until the 31st December, 1934.*

Provided that the Governor General in Council may, on the recommendation of the Committee, declare by notification in the Gazette of India that the said sections shall continue in force for any further period specified in such notification.

Disposal of surplus proceeds.

9. When Sections 2 to 7 cease to be in force, all monies and other property in the possession of the Committee shall revert to His Majesty.

*Extended to 31st December, 1939 by Government of India, Commerce Department Notification No. 45-C(4)/34, dated 15th December, 1934.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

COMMERCE.

Simla, the 14th June, 1930.

No. 1345-C. (6).—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Act, 1929 (VIII of 1929), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section, namely :—

1. These rules may be called the Soft Coke Cess Committee Rules.

Short title.

Definition.

2. In these rules—

"The Act" means the Soft Coke Cess Act, 1929.

Part I.—Nomination of Members of the Committee and the Procedure of the Committee.

Nominations to fill vacancies.

3. When a vacancy occurs in the case of a nominated member of the Committee or at any time within two months of the date when such a vacancy will occur in the ordinary course of events, the President of the Committee shall by notice in writing call upon the body concerned to nominate a person to fill the vacancy, and the nomination shall be made within thirty days of the date on which the President calls for the same.

Term of Office of Members of the Committee.

4. (1) Save as otherwise provided in these rules, a nominated member of the Committee shall hold office for three years from the date of his nomination, and shall be eligible for re-nomination.

(2) A member nominated to fill a casual vacancy or a member appointed by the Governor General in Council on failure of any of the local Governments or bodies mentioned in section 4 (1) of the Act to make a nomination, shall hold office so long as the member whose place he fills would have been entitled to hold office if the vacancy had not occurred or the nomination had been made, as the case may be.

Resignation.

5. A member of the Committee may resign his office by letter addressed to the President of the Committee.

Absence from India.

6. (1) Before a member of the Committee leaves India—

(*a*) he shall intimate to the President of the Committee the date of his departure from and the date of his expected return to India ; and

(*b*) if he intends to be absent from India for a longer period than six months, he shall tender his resignation.

(2) If any member leaves India without taking either of the courses mentioned in sub-rule (1), he shall be deemed to have resigned with effect from the date of his departure from India.

7. Any member shall be deemed to have vacated his seat on the Committee—

Removal from the Committee.

(*a*) if he becomes bankrupt or insolvent or suspends payment or compounds with his creditors, or

(*b*) if he is convicted of any offence which is punishable under the Indian Penal Code and is under the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code non-bailable, or

(*c*) if he is absent from meetings of the Committee during a period of three consecutive months without special leave of absence from the Committee.

8. The Committee shall meet at least once every month and shall hold its meetings in Calcutta or at such other place as the President may think fit.

Time and place of meetings.

9. The President of the Committee may at any time call a meeting of the Committee and shall do so if a requisition for that purpose is presented to him by six members of the Committee.

Power to call meetings.

10. Seven clear days at least before any meeting of the Committee notice of the time and place of the intended meeting, signed by the President, shall be left at or posted to the usual place of residence of every member of the Committee.

Notice of meetings.

Provided that in cases of urgency an emergent meeting may be summoned at any time by the President who shall inform the members of the subject matter for discussion and

the reasons for which he considers it urgent. No ordinary business shall be introduced or transacted at an emergent meeting.

Presiding at meetings.

11. The President shall preside at every meeting at which he is present, and if he is absent the members present shall elect one of their number to preside over the meeting.

Quorum.

12. No business shall be transacted at a meeting of the Committee unless there are present at least six members.

Powers and duties of the President.

13. The President of the Committee shall be the Principal Executive Officer of the Committee and, in addition to the other powers and duties conferred upon him by these rules shall—

(*a*) present all important papers and matters to the Committee as early as practicable;

(*b*) issue orders as to the method of carrying out the decisions of the Committee;

(*c*) sign or, subject to a resolution by the Committee, authorise some other person to sign, cheques issued on behalf of the Committee;

(*d*) grant or, subject to a resolution by the Committee, authorise some other person to grant, receipts on behalf of the Committee for all monies received under the Act;

(*e*) maintain or cause to be maintained an account of the receipts and expenditure of the Committee;

(*f*) draft an annual report on the working of the Committee; and

(*g*) present the annual report to the Committee for approval and thereafter submit the report as approved to the Government of India.

Disposal of business.

14. All questions which the Committee is required to take into consideration shall be referred to the members of the Committee, either at its meetings or by circulation of the papers:

Provided that when a question is referred by circulation of papers any member of the Committee may require that the question be referred at a meeting, and thereupon such a reference shall be made to a meeting of the Committee.

List of business

15. (1) The President of the Committee shall cause to be prepared and circulated among the members at least three days before a meeting of the Committee a list of business to be disposed of at that meeting.

(2) No business not on the list shall be considered without the permission of the President.

Decision by majority.

16. (1) Every question at a meeting of the Committee shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present and voting on that question.

(2) In the case of an equal division of votes, the President shall have a second or casting vote.

Committee's establishment.

17. (1) The Committee shall, from time to time, fix the scale of establishment and the salaries and allowances of all officers and servants to be employed by it and require security in such instances and to such amount as it thinks fit.

(2) Subject to the scale of establishment fixed under sub-rule (1), the President shall have power to appoint, dismiss, grant leave to, fine, suspend or reduce any person in the service of the Committee :

Provided that—

(*a*) no person shall be appointed to, or dismissed from, an office the salary of which is one hundred and fifty rupees or upwards without the sanction of the Committee at a meeting ;

(*b*) the grant of leave, pay and allowances to officers and servants of the Committee, who are not Government servants, shall be regulated by rules made by the Committee.

Remuneration of members.

18. Each member of the Committee shall be paid Rs. 32/- for each meeting attended by him, subject to a maximum of Rs. 64/- for any one calendar month *plus* actual railway fare.

Deposit of monies received on behalf of the Committee.

19. All monies received on behalf of the Committee shall be deposited in the Imperial Bank of India to the credit of the Committee, provided that the Committee may, from time to time, authorise the retention in the charge of the President or any other person of such sum as it thinks fit as petty cash to meet contingent expenditure.

Part II.—Levy, collection and payment of the cess.

20. The cess shall be levied and collected on consignments of soft coke booked on and from the 21st June, 1930.

Declaration by consignor.

21. All consignments of coke from collieries in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar & Orissa tendered at railway stations for despatch by goods train, shall be accompanied by a declaration advice note in which the consignor or his agent shall describe the consignment as either " soft coke " or " coke suitable for metallurgical purposes," according to the nature of the consignment.

Recovery of the cess.

22. When a consignment has been declared by the consignor, under Rule 21 above, as " soft coke," the Railway Administration concerned shall arrange to recover the amount of the cess due, calculated at a rate of two annas per ton :—

(*a*) from the consignor, if the freight charges are being prepaid at the forwarding station,

(*b*) from the consignee, if the freight charges are collected at the destination of the consignment,

(*c*) from the party paying the freight, if the consignment is booked on the " weight only " system.

Weight for charge.

23. For the purpose of the levy of the cess, the weight of a consignment shall be that taken for the purpose of calculating the freight charges.

Remittance of cess to the Soft Coke Cess Committee.

24. The total amount of cess collected by each Railway Administration, less :—

(*a*) refunds and write-offs, authorised by the Railway Administration, under Rule 25 below,

(*b*) a deduction of five *per cent.* towards the cost of collection,

shall be remitted quarterly to the Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, for the credit of the Soft Coke Cess Committee.

Refunds and write-offs.

25. Where the amount of the cess due under these Rules has not been collected, or where the amount collected is in excess of the amount due, the Railway Administration shall deal with the undercharge or overcharge, as the case may be, on the same principles as apply to undercharges and overcharges in regard to railway freight charges.

Part III.—Form and publication of accounts.

Audit and publication of accounts.

26. (1) The Committee shall maintain accounts of all receipts and expenditure relating to each financial year.

(2) The audited statement of receipts and expenditure together with the annual report referred to in clause (*g*) of Rule 13 shall be submitted to the Governor General in Council not later than July in each year.

(3) An abstract statement of the receipts and expenditure shall be published annually in the Gazette of India.

(4) The accounts of receipts shall be shown under the following heads :—

(*a*) Monies received under section 3 (2) of the Act.

(*b*) Monies received under section 5 of the Act.

(*c*) Any receipts that may have been obtained from measures taken for promoting the sale or improving the methods of manufacture of soft coke.

(*d*) Interest received from the investment of such monies as aforesaid.

The total receipts only shall be shown under each of the above heads and the opening balance, if any, shall also be stated.

(5) Accounts of expenditure shall be shown under the following heads :—

(*a*) Administration of the Committee;

(*b*) Measures taken for promoting the sale of soft coke ;

(*c*) Measures taken for improving the method of manufacture of soft coke ;

(*d*) Contribution to Industrial Exhibitions ;

(*e*) Miscellaneous.

(6) The closing balance of the year shall be shown at the foot of the account on the expenditure side.

No. 1345-C. (6).

A copy is forwarded, for information, to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Railway and Industries and Labour Departments, to the Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta, and the Indian Trade Commissioner, London.

A copy is also forwarded, for information, to the Chief Mining Engineer to the Railway Board, the Indian Mining Association, the Indian Mining Federation, and all Chambers of Commerce in India and Burma, and Associations.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

COMMERCE.

New Delhi, the 15th December, 1934.

No. 45-C (4)/34.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to section 8 of the Indian Soft Coke Cess Act, 1929 (VIII of 1929), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare, on the recommendation of the Soft Coke Cess Committee constituted under section 4 of the said Act, that sections 2 to 7 thereof shall continue in force for a further period of five years with effect from the 1st January, 1935.

T. A. STEWART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 45-C. (4) 34.

A copy is forwarded for information, to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Railway and Industries and Labour Departments, to the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta, and to the High Commissioner for India, London.

A copy is also forwarded for information, to the Chief Mining Engineer to the Railway Board the Indian Mining Association the Indian Mining Federation and all Chambers of Commerce and Associations in India and Burma.

By order, etc.,

M. L. TANNAN,

Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

A view of the exhibits of soft coke and ovens, etc., at the Swadeshi Market Museum, Bombay.

Appendix "A."

List of Collieries Manufacturing Soft Coke.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Agardih ...	Banerjee & Company, 7, Swallow Lane, Calcutta.	10, 11
Albion ...	H. V. Low & Co, Ltd., 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	A, D
Alkusa Nyadee	Alkusa Nyadee Colliery Co., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	10
Angarpathra ...	Angarpathra Colliery, Co., P. O. Katrasgarh, Manbhum.	10
Angarpathra ...	National Coal Co., P. O. Katrasgarh. Manbhum.,	Special 10. 11, 11 & 12
Angarpathra ...	Angarpathra Coal Co., P. O. Katrasgarh, Manbhum.	10
Anil Kusunda ..	Anil Kusunda Colliery Ltd., P. O. Kusunda, Manbhum.	11, 12
Ashakuti ...	Chandanmul Indrakumar, 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	Mostly 10 and 12
Bastacolla ...	Balmer Lawrie & Co., Ltd. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta.	10
Bengal Jharia...	Bengal Jharia Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Bhagaband ...	F. W. Heilgers & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings, Calcutta.	Rejections.
Bhagirathi Ghusick	Bhagarathi Ghusick Coal Concern, Kalipahari P. O., Burdwan.	Nega.
Bhalgora ...	H. V. Low & Co., Ltd., 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	14 (Rejections)
Bhaljuria ...	Pure Fatka Coal Co., Nirshachati P. O., Manbhum.	Shampur Section 9′—0″
Bhuggutdih ...	Andrew Yule & Co., Ltd., 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.	11, 12, 13 (Rejections)
Bhulanbararee	F. W. Heilgers & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings, Calcutta.	Rejections.
Bhutdoba ...	Asansol Coal & Coke Co., Kalipahari P. O., Burdwan.	
Bilbera ...	Banerjee & Co., 7, Swallow Lane, Calcutta.	10A
Birshinghpore ..	Birshinghpore Coal Co., P. O. Nirshachati, Manbhum.	
Bokaro Jharia...	Agarwalla Bros., Nudkhurkee P. O., Manbhum.	E. F.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Bright Jharia...	Dana Premji & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Burwabera ...	B. Trigunait & Bros., Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	9 & 10
Busserya ..	Busserya Coal Co., Ltd., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	11, 12
Busserya ...	B. Jewels & Company, Kusunda P. O., Manbhum	10, 11
Central Bansjora Khas	Ram Sebak Sing, Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	7 & 8
Central Ghusick	P. G. Bishoyi, Kalipahari P. O., Burdwan.	Bottom Nega.
Central Jeenagora	Central Jeenagora Coal Co., Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Central Jharia	Joyram Shivji & Co., Jharia P. O.. Manbhum.	9, 10
Central Kalimati	Kalimati Small Colliery Co., Kumardhobi P. O., Manbhum.	Kalimati.
Central Kirkend	Anderson Wright & Co., 22, Strand Road, Calcutta.	14

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Central Kujama	Central Kujama Coal Concern, P. O. Jharia, Manbhum.	10
Central Tisra ...	Central Tisra Coal Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Chandore ...	Chandore Coal Co., Katrasgarh P. O , Manbhum.	8
Chandrabad ...	Baijnath Jugal Kishore, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Chapapur ...	J. C. Dutt, Nirshachati P. O., Manbhum.	Pusai.
Chasnalla ...	Chasnalla Coal Co., Norton Buildings, Calcutta.	14
Choitodih ...	Bird & Co., Calcutta ...	12, 13. 14
Chota Bowa ...	Mayashanker Bhagwanji, Dhanbad Bazar P. O.	9
Dakshineswar ...	Upendra Chandra Das, Mugma P. O., Manbhum.	Egarcoor.
Dhansar ...	Dhansar Coal Co., Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	8, 9
Dharmaband ...	D. N. Barat, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	17
Dobari ...	R. N. Bagchee & Bros., Dobari Colliery Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	8, 9 & 10

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Dobari ...	Joyshanker Pitambar, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9
Dobari ...	Keshavji Pitambar, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Dobari (North)	Sahana Coal Company, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	7 & 8
Dudhapani ...	Bengal Dudhapani Coal Co., Chirkunda P. O., Manbhum	Dudhapani.
Durgapur ...	D. Hamir & Sons, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Egarcoor ...	Bombay Borada Coal Co., Kumardhubi P. O., Manbhum.	Egarcoor.
Egarcoor ...	West Burdwan Coal Co., Kumardhubi P. O., Manbhum.	Egarcoor.
Ekra Khas ...	Gillanders Arbuthnot & Co., Clive Buildings, Calcutta.	11
Ena ...	Andrew Yule & Co., Ltd., 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.	11
Fatka (North Laikdih)	Banerjee & Sons, Kajoragram P. O., Burdwan.	Fatka.
Ganeshpur Khas	C. A. Forbes & Ramchandra Marwari, Nawagarh P. O., Manbhum.	13

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Ganhudi ...	S. B. Banerjee, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Gararia ...	Chota Lal Patel, Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Gararia ...	Baijnath Jugal Kishore, Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	9 & Special.
Gararia ...	Gopiram & Ramchandra Tikmani, Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10 & Special.
Ghusick ...	Ghusick Coal Co., Ltd., Kalipahari P. O., Burdwan.	Niga.
Godhur ...	Kanga & Co., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12
Golukdih ...	Bangur Daga & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Gondudih ...	Central Alkusa Colliery Co. (C/o. Pure Jharia Colliery), Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Gonshadih ...	Gonshadih Coal Co., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12
Gopalichuck West	Anderson Wright & Co., 22, Strand Rd., Calcutta.	Rejections from 12, 13, 14 & 15

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Indian Jharia (Tisra)	Khimji Walji & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Industry ...	Industry Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Isabella ...	Isabella Coal Company, Nudkhurkee P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Jealgora Govindpur	Devji Shivji & Co., Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	10, 10A & 11
Jinagora ...	Jeenagora (East Bararee) Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Jogta ...	Agabeg Bros., Sijua P. O., Manbhum.	Rejections from 12, 13 & 14
Joyramdih ...	Joyramdih Coal Co., Nowagarh P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Joyrampur ...	Joyrampur Coal Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12 13 & 13A
Joyrampur ...	Ramjash Agarwalla, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	11, 12
Kalithan Jinagora	K. B. Seal & Sons, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Kapasara ...	Kapasara Coal Co., Mugma P. O., Manbhum.	8′—0″ Section.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Kenduadih & Khas Kenduadih	B. N. Mondal & Co., 22, Canning Street, Calcutta.	9, 10
Kharkharee & Maheshpur	Kharkhari Coal Co., Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	10
Khas Akaskinari	Gangji Dossa & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	
Khas Angarpathra	B. B. Trigunait, Sijua P. O., Manbhum.	10
Khas Jinagora	G. P. C. & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10, 11, 12, 13
Khas Jinagora	M. M. C. & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Khas Joyramdih	Khas Joyramdih Coal Co., Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
Khas Joyrampur	Seth Tarachand Ghanshyamdas, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	13
Khas Koiludih	Karam Chand Thapar & Bros., Ltd., 5, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.	10
Khas Pandedih	Khas Pandedih Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	8, 9
Khoodia ...	Khoodia Coal Company, Mugma P. O., Manbhum.	Shampur.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Kosoonda & Nyadee	Kosoonda & Nyadee Collieries Co., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	Rejections of 10 seam.
Kujama ...	Keshavji Pitambar, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Kujama ...	Khas Busra Coal Concern (S. D. Mehta), Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Kujama ...	K. S. Nanji & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Kustore ...	Kilburn & Co., Ltd., 4, Fairlie Place, Calcutta.	From Rejections.
Kusunda ...	K. M. Selected Coal Co., Kusunda P. O., Manbhum.	11, 12
Lodna ...	Turner Morrison & Co., Ltd., 6, Lyons Range, Calcutta.	Rejections from 14, 14A & 15
Lodna (Upper)	North Burrakar Coal Co., Ltd., 100, Clive Street, Calcutta.	11, 12 & 14
Lower Joyrampur	Ghela Panchan & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Lower & Upper Jharia	Khimji Dossa & Sons, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10

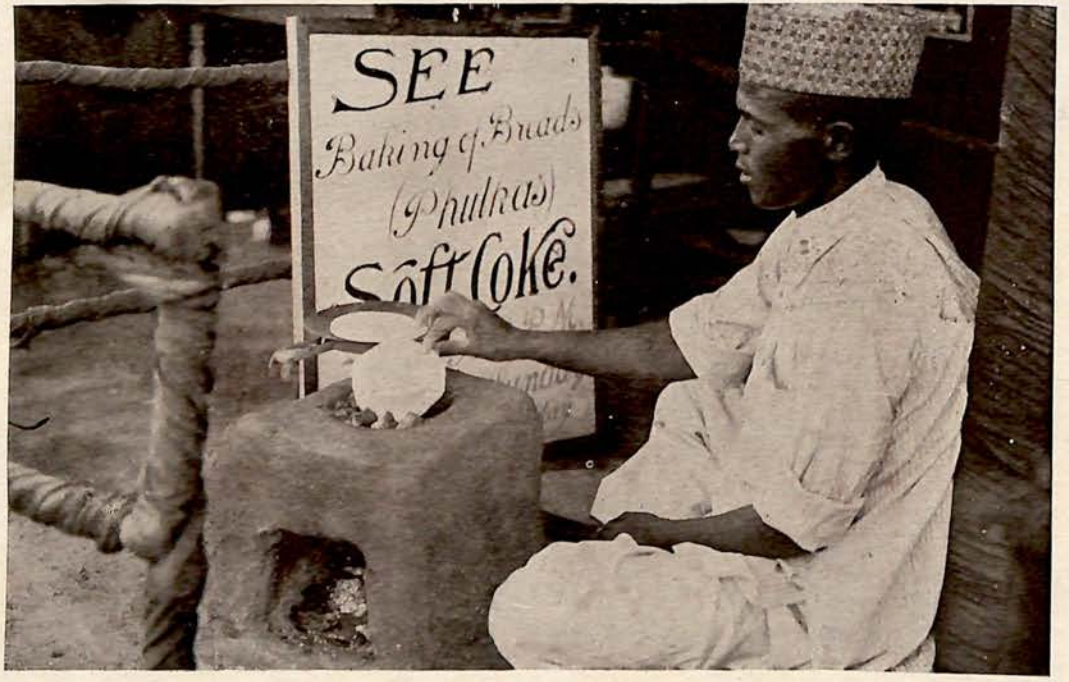
Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Madhuban ...	Waliram & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12, 13
Madhuband ...	Karam Chand Thapar & Bros., Ltd., 5, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.	11 & 12
Majhlitand ...	Chandanmull Indrakumar, 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	10
Midland ...	A. T. Roy & Bros., Kumardhobi P. O., Manbhum.	
Model Brindabanpur	Damaguria Coal Concern, Mugma P. O., Manbhum.	Brindabanpur.
Nayadanga ...	Rai B. K. Lahiri, Nirshachati P. O., Manbhum.	Shampur.
New Govindpur	Universal Trading Co., 33, Canning Street, Calcutta.	10, 10A.
New Jinagora...	A. C. Banerjee & Co., 3/1, Bankshall Street, Calcutta.	9
New Kesalpur...	J. C. Bhattacherjee, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	9
New Kessurgurah	H. V. Low & Co., Ltd., 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	10, 11, 12

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
New Lakurka ...	B. K. Roy, Kesalpur House, Katrasgarh P. O. (Manbhum).	10
New Pipratand	P. Mukerjee & Co., Katrasgarh P. O. (Manbhum).	Top Seam.
Nichitpur ...	A. C. Banerjee & Co., 3/1, Bankshall Street, Calcutta.	9 & Special
Niluripatra ...	Bangur Daga & Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12
North Bararee...	North Bararee Coal Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10
North Bhugutdih (Dhansar)	Dhansar Coal Co., Ltd., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9
North Damuda	Shankar Lal Agarwalla, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	E. F.
North Kendwadih	Denkar Bros. & Co., Nawagarh P. O., Manbhum.	4, 5, 6
North Kujama...	Gangji Dossa & Sons, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10, 11, 12
North Mosila ...	North Mosila Colliery Co., Kalipahari P. O. (Burdwan).	Nega.
Nudkhurkee ...	Kumar Sarat Kumar Roy, Nudkhurkee P. O., Manbhum.	9, 10

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Pandebera ...	Pandebera Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	11 & 12
Pandedih ...	S. N. Daw & Co., Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	7 & 8
Paragon ...	Paragon Coal Company, Kumardhubi P. O., Manbhum.	Egercoor.
Phularitand ...	Chandanmull Indrakumar, 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	13
Phularitand Khas.	D. N. Barat & Bodri Prosad, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	8
Premier ...	Premier Coal Company, Kumardhubi P. O., Manbhum.	Egercoor.
Pure Jharia ...	Pure Jharia Colliery Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Pure Kujama ...	South Busra Coal Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Ramkanali ...	B. K. Roy, Kesalpur House, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	7, 8, 9 & 10
Salanpur ...	S. C. Banerjee, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	Special.
Sanctoria (Mandals).	B. N. Mondal & Co., 22, Canning Street, Calcutta.	Hatnol.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Sendra-Bansjora	Sendra-Bansjora Colliery Co., Bansjora P. O., Manbhum.	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
Shampur ...	Shampur Coal Co., Ltd., Nirshachati P. O., Manbhum.	Shampur No. 5
Sinidih ...	Sinidih Coal Concern Ld., 32-A, Dharamtolah Street, Calcutta.	10
Sonardih ...	Chandanmull Indrakumar, 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	10
South Goluckdih	South Goluckdih Coal Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
South Govindpur	Chandanmull Indrakumar, 3, Synagogue Street, Calcutta.	10A, 11
South Kujama...	Bagdigi-Kujama Collieries Co., Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
South Tisra ...	South Tisra Colliery Co., (S. D. Mehta), Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Standard ...	F. W. Heilgers & Co., Ltd., Chartered Bank Buildings, Calcutta.	Rejections.

Name of Colliery.	Mg. Agents or Owners & Address.	Name or Number of Seam from which Coke is manufactured.
Tetturia ...	Ghosh's Tetturia Colliery (1929) Ltd., 8, Canning Street, Calcutta.	11, 12, 13
Tisra ...	Amarsing Gowamal, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	9 & 10
Tisra ...	Diamond Coal Company, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Tisra ...	Dhanji Devji & Sons, Jharia P. O., Manbhum.	10
Tundu Khas ...	J. P. Lalla & Others, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	10
West Bansjora	New Pandedih & West Bansjora Coal Company, Bansjora P. O., (Manbhum).	7 & Special.
West Barakar...	A. C. Banerjee & Co., 3/1, Bankshall Street, Calcutta.	Gopinathpur.
West Benidih...	Emerald Coal Company, Katrasgarh P. O., Manbhum.	9 & 10
West Chunch...	M. C. Dutt, Nirshachati P. O., (Manbhum).	
West Ghusick...	H. N. Singh, Chatapathar, Kalipahari P. O. (Burdwan).	Nega (Bottom).



Baking of breads (chapaties) on soft coke fire.

Appendix "B."

List of Dealers and Depôt-Holders registered with the Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee.

BENGAL.

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Karam Chand Thapar & Bros. ...	5, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.
P. C. Biswas ...	Sirajgunge Bazar, E. B. Rly.
B. K. Ghose ...	Punjab Line Coal Depot, Howrah.
Universal Trading Co. ..	Ultadanga Coal Depot No. 15/B, E. B. Rly.
Sivaprosad Ram & Co. ...	Ultadanga Coal Depot No. 6, E. B. Rly.
Shewdhar Singh & Bros.	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 1, E. B. Rly.
Dwarika Ram ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 2, E. B. Rly.
Rupal Singh ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 3, E. B. Rly.
Ramanath Cheena ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 4, E. B. Rly.
B. N. Mondal & Sons ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 8/A, E. B. Rly
Bhagat Ram, Dewan Chand and Sunderdass ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 8/B, E. B. Rly.
Rambisal Misser ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 8/C, E. B Rly.
Rambisal Misser ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 8, E. B. Rly.
R. P. Varma & Co. ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 9, E. B. Rly.

BENGAL—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Joshi & Co. ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 10, E. B. Rly.
Sewdohin Misser and Ramdarsan Misser ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 11, E. B. Rly
Dobey Misser ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 12, E. B. Rly.
Dobey & Roy ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 13, E. B. Rly.
Sridhari Ram ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 14, E. B. Rly.
Hareram Pandey ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 15, E. B. Rly.
Ramcharan Singh & Sons	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 16, E. B. Rly.
B. P. Singh & B. N. Baksi	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 18, E. B. Rly.
Srish Ch. Mitter ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 19, E. B. Rly.
Roshun Misser and Jadunandan Pandey ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 20, E. B. Rly.
Chaman Singh and Chitteswar Singh ...	Sealdah Coal Depot No. 21, E. B. Rly.
Shibnarain Singh and Sahadeb Singh ...	Sealdah (Woodgola) Coal Depot No. 12, E. B. Rly.
T. Ghosh ...	Sealdah (Woodgola) Coal Depot No. 12-A, E. B. Rly.
Sukhdeb Singh and Haricharan Ghosh ...	Sealdah (Woodgola) Coal Depot No. 16, E. B. Rly

BENGAL—*concld.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Rupchand Singh and Triganprosad Singh ...	Sealdah (Woodgola Coal Depot No. 20-A, E. B. Rly.
Thakur Prosad Singh ...	Sealdah (Woodgola) Coal Depot No. 21, E. B. Rly.
R. L. Bhattacharjee ...	Sealdah (Woodgola Coal Depot No. 21-A, E. B. Rly.
Surendranath Sen ...	14, Kailas Basu 3rd Bye Lane, Howrah.
Krishna Chandra Sircar & Co. ...	Shalimar Coal Depot, Seebpore P. O., Howrah.
Sailen Bose & Co. ...	Sutterpatty Road, Mymensingh.
Girijasankar, Shivsankar Sircar ...	Kishoreganj, Mymensingh.
Sarat Chandra Dutta and Banwarilal Dutt ...	Krishnapore Kukra, P. O. Saranga *(Burdwan).*
Sarat Kumar Chatterjee ...	Depôt Holder, Ranaghat.
Aswini Kumar Ain ...	Brahmanbaria P. O., Tippara, A. B. Railway.
A. L. Ojha & Co. ...	4, Lyons Range, Calcutta. Depôts at Shalimar & College Street Market.
C. L. Ganguly & Co. ...	Lake Market Coal Depôt, P. 23/A, Rashbehari Avenue, Calcutta.
C. L. Ganguly & Co. ...	Lansdowne Market Coal Depot, Block No. M. S. T., Stall No. 22, P. O. Bhawanipur, Calcutta.
B. N. Sanyal, Ltd. (Hd. Office, 4, Clive Ghat St., Calcutta).	Depot at Clay Road, Khulna City.
S. M. Ghose ...	P. O. Silchar, District Cachar, Assam.

BIHAR.

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Abhiram Bhadra	...	Purulia Indigo Factory Road, Purulia, Manbhum.
The General Agencies' House	...	Arrah.
Universal Traders	...	Ranchi.
Baldev Prosad	...	Sujagunj, Bhagalpur City.
Jwahirlal	...	Mundichawk, Bhagalpur.
Baijnath Ramprosad Chamaria	...	Lime and Coal Merchants, Bhagalpur City.
Kujbali Mian	...	Tinpahar P. O. & R. S.
The Muslim Association, New Capital, Patna	...	The New Capital Coal Depot, Sakadi Mosjid Road, P. O. Patna.

UNITED PROVINCES.

Afzal Khan	...	Sadar Bazar, Lucknow.
Seikh Idu	...	Do.
Salaroo	...	Do.
Behari Lal Singh	...	Do.
Debi Prosad Singh	...	Do.
S. P. Burman	...	Do.
Muhammed Iasin	...	Do.
Abdul Karim	...	Do.
Khansahib Badal	...	Do.
Seikh Maula Buksh	...	Do.
Muhammad Husain	...	Saunder's Meat Market, Lucknow.
Ramswarup	...	Do.
Ramjewan	...	Do.
Nazir Ahmed	...	Cantonment Road, Lucknow.
Macbul Ahmed	...	Do.
Ramgopal Bhikhari Lal	...	Do.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Ganesh Coal Concern ...	Munneh Lal Dharamsala Road, Lucknow.
V. P. Coal Depot ...	Husainganj, Lucknow.
Lachman Prosad ...	Pandariba, Charbagh, Lucknow.
Imperial Coal Concern ...	27, Model House, Lucknow.
Jubilee Coal Depot ...	Model House, Lucknow.
Pandit Behari Lal ...	Do.
Bhola Nath & Sons ...	Nadan Mahal Road, Lucknow.
Ganga Coal Concern ...	Do.
Tulsiram ...	Aishbagh, Lucknow.
Nanhemal Lachminarayan	Gunge Nawab-ka-bagh, Aminabad, Lucknow.
Debi Prosad ...	15, Latouche Road, Lucknow.
Bajrang Coal Depot ...	Latouche Road, Lucknow.
Paltu Lal ...	Khealiganj, Lucknow.
Ram Prosad Bhikha Lal ...	Nazirabad, Lucknow.
Laikat Husain ...	Golaganj, Lucknow.
Hazee Dula ...	New Kesore Road, Lucknow.
Hira Lal ...	Narhi, Lucknow.
K. S. Misra ...	Do.
Bhagwandin ...	Daliganj, Lucknow.
Baburam (No. 1) ...	Do.
Baburam (No. 2) ...	Do.
Mrs Kirkman ...	Magbara, Lalbagh, Lucknow.
Baikuntha Prosad ...	Lokmanganj, Lucknow.
A. C. Paul ...	Chitnapur Lalknyan, Lucknow.
Lachim Coal Co. ...	Latouche Road, Lucknow.
Nandwana & Co. ...	Meston Road, Cawnpore.
Sikri Brothers ...	Latouche Road, Cawnpore
Ratilal Shantilal	Do.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
L. D. Thacker & Co. ...	Latouche Road, Cawnpore
Karamchand Thappar ...	*Do.*
Darbar Chand Brothers ...	*Do.*
Prebhulal Premji Boli ...	*Do.*
Prem Shanker M. Debi ...	*Swadeshi Bazar, Cawnpore.*
Valabb Dass & Co ...	*Do.*
Imperial Coal Co. ...	*Rotigodown, Cawnpore.*
Nahata Brothers ...	*Generalgunj, Cawnpore.*
Sidhnath Dwijendranath...	Halsey Road, Cawnpore.
Dwarkadass Lachmi Narain	Do.
Kalloomal Dataram ...	Do.
Ishuri Prasad ...	Do.
Nathilal Ramasure ...	Do.
Sankata Prasad Sukla ...	Do.
Saik Manzoor Ali & Sons...	Harbans Mahal, Cawnpore.
Badri Prasad ...	Do.
Musamat Waziran ...	King's Market, Cawnpore.
Chang Brothers ...	Bhannana Purwa, Cawnpore.
Abdul Latiff & Sons ...	Sisamau, Cawnpore.
Bhikari ...	Do.
Munna ...	Do.
Haji Mukdum Bux ...	Shutarkhana, Cawnpore.
Rampeyaree ...	Chappar Mahal, Cawnpore.
Durga Bali ...	Parade Market, Cawnpore.
Surai Bali ...	Do.
Ganga Bali ...	Do.
Kanahia Lal ...	Harbans Mohal, Cawnpore.
Jamuna Bali ...	Hoolaganj, Cawnpore.
Jassa Ram Satya & Sons...	Do.
Kamtaprasad ...	Ram Narain Bazar, Cawnpore.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Mahadebee Bhandar ...	Halsey Road, Cawnpore.
Raja Ram Debi Dayal ...	Teliyana, Cawnpore.
Radhe Lal ...	Kirachi Khana, Cawnpore.
Mohadeo Prasad ...	Gwaltoli, Cawnpore.
Biddhu Lal Bajnath ...	Hatia, Cawnpore.
Dulat Ram ...	Lala Lajpatrai Road, Cawnpore.
Bharat Singh ...	Lathi Mohal, Cawnpore.
Barket Ali ...	Sisamau, Cawnpore.
Durga Prasad ...	Halsey Road, Cawnpore.
Ganga Narian Radhe Lal	Rotigodown, Cawnpore.
Ramkaran ...	Halsey Road, Cawnpore.
Mahammad Ismail ...	King's Market, Cawnpore.
Harbhagwan Suraj Prosad	Chhappar Mohal, Cawnpore.
Samiulla ...	Telimahalla, Meerut Cantt.
Abdul Wahid & Bros. ...	Do.
Niaz Ahmed ...	Do.
Indo Trading Co. ...	Abu Lane, Meerut Cantt.
Lala Ram Richpal ...	Rangoar Mahalla, Meerut Cantt.
Moolchand Ramjan ...	Naya Bazar, Meerut Cantt.
Balmukund ...	Anazmandi, Meerut Cantt.
Mahammad Bux ...	Ganj Bazar, Meerut Cantt.
Amarnath Ramnath ...	Anazmandi, Meerut Cantt.
Pearelal Chimanlal ...	Kesurganj, Meerut City.
Dayal & Co. ...	Do.
Raya Ram & Co. ...	Purani Kotwali, Meerut City.
Ghasiram ...	Gudri Bazar, Meerut City.
Bahadurmal ...	Kachi Sarai, Meerut City.
Mahammad Shafi ...	Shorab Gate, Meerut City.
Satya Pal Vaidya ...	Sarwat Gate, Muzaffarnagar.
Phuttomal Pershadilal ...	Nuri Durwaza, Agra.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Phusia Ram Shyamlal ...	Nuri Durwaza, Agra.
Sataya Narain Raghubir Dayal ...	Do.
Ramesh Prasad Ram Bharosey ...	Do.
Ram Narayan & Co. ...	Do.
Basimal Babulal ...	Madan Mohan Gate, Agra.
Suraj Bhan & Co. ...	Do.
Mool Chand Kanahyalal ...	Do.
Kokamal Chunnamal ...	Do.
Babu Badri Prosad ...	Chhilli Int, Agra.
Kokamal Jagadish Pershad	Do.
Dwarka Pershad Lakhmi Chand ...	Hingki Mandi, Agra.
Master Gosh Mahamad ...	Do.
Shyamlal ...	Chhipi Tola, Agra.
Mangal Khan ...	Do.
Ibrahim ...	Do.
S. Tara Chand ...	Do
Ghurekhan ...	Agra Cantt.
Zibaram ...	Do.
Sudhan Khan ...	Do.
Rahit Ali ...	Do.
Lala Ram ...	Do.
Chand Khan ...	Do.
Mahamad Hanif ...	Do.
Akbar Khan ...	Boiloogunj, Agra
Ujagarlal ...	Kutchery Ghat, Agra.
Bharat Singh Sheopershad	Pipal Mandi, Agra.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Nannemal Brindaban Das	Nala Jumma Mosjid, Agra.
Raghu Nath Pershad Bhagat ...	Bellanganj, Agra.
Gouri Shanker ...	Do.
Swami Narain ...	Dayal Bagh, Agra.
Gulzarilal ...	Do.
Kamruddin ...	Ghatia Azamkhan, Agra.
Hatilal Kedarnath ...	Coal Merchants & Commission Agents, Delhi Gate, Aligarh.
Jagannath Prosad Hem Prosad ...	Iron & Coal Merchants, Mawoo Bhanj, Aligarh.
Chowdhuri Shyamlal ...	Coal Merchant & Cinder Contractor, Dog's Tomb, Aligarh.
Chowdhuri Jaggi Ram ...	Coal Merchants, Dog's Tomb, Aligarh.
Chowdhuri Matiram ...	Do.
Chowdhuri Dhanny Ram	Do.
Mohanlal Arya Coal Co. ...	Gakul Bhaban, Aligarh.
Mr. Valji Ojha ...	Coal Merchants & Depot Holders, Railway Siding, Aligarh.
Mr. D. Mukherjee ...	Do.
Nawab Mozi Mullah Khan	Do.
P. D. Doubay & Bros. ...	Hardware & Coal Merchants, Railway Road, Aligarh
Narayandas Durgaprosad	General Merchants, Kunwarigunj, Aligarh.
Madanlal Tandan ...	Beharipur, Bareilly.
Shib Charan Lal ...	Do.
Dil Mahamad ...	Do.
Amir Bux ...	Do.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Kissen Narain Ramgopal	Sahamat Ganj, Bareilly.
Radhe Ram Dwarka Prosad ...	Do.
Enayat Ali ...	Do.
Banwarilal ...	Koparapir, Bareilly.
Habibulla ...	B. I. Bazar (Cantt.), Bareilly.
Khoda Bux ...	Do.
Abdul Rahim ...	Bareilly Cantt.
Abdul Rashid ...	Qila, Bareilly.
Muktar Ahmed Faiz Ahmed	Do.
Jaffar Hasan ...	Purana Sahar, Bareilly.
Aku Bhakat ...	Old Fyzabad Godown, Allahabad.
Bikramjit ...	Do.
Bishambhar Nath ...	Do.
Johuri Lal Sital Prosad ...	Do.
Harsankar ...	Do.
Bramnand ...	Do.
Dhani Ram ...	Do.
Sheo Mohan Singh ...	Do.
Budhai Ram ...	Do.
Neal & Samson ...	Do.
Sarju Sing ...	Do.
Lallal Prosad ...	Do.
B. Banerjee ...	Do.
Fagulal ...	Do.
B. Moolchand ...	Near Burma Shell Tank, E. I. Ry. Godown, Allahabad.
Newal Kishore ...	Near Burma Shell Tank, E. I. Ry. Godown, Allahabad.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Puddanlal & Narain Das	Old Oil Shed, E. I. R. Godown, Allahabad.
Ali Bux ...	Do.
G. Childe & Co. ...	Do.
Rahim Bux ...	Katra Bazar, Allahabad.
Mr. Singh & Messy ...	Mission Road, Allahabad.
Abdul Chand ...	Kacheri Road, Katra, Allahabad.
Kharey & Co. ...	Surajkund, Allahabad.
J. Banerjee ...	Lukerganj, Allahabad
Ashgar Ali Ashrafali ...	Coal Merchants, Lal Masjid, Moradabad.
Rahim Buksh ...	Lime & Coal Merchants, Sarai Kissen Lal, Moradabad.
Hamidulla Habibulla ...	Coal Merchants, Samli Gate, Moradabad.
Abdul Majid & Sons ...	Coal Merchants, Sarai Pokhta, Moradabad.
Mahammad Nabi Buksh ...	Coal Merchants, Bara Sashba, Moradabad.
Mohammad Ishaque ...	Coal Merchants, Lal Masjid, Moradabad.
Jagdish Coal Depot ...	Banski Mandi, Moradabad.
Mohemmad Ismail ...	Mohella Kanungoyan, Moradabad.
Allah Bakash ...	Amroliya Darwaza, Moradabad.
Mansa Ram Gaddar Mul ...	Coal Merchants, Sasni Gate, Hathras.
Jagannath Chedilal ...	Coal Merchant, Sasni Gate, Hathras.
Channi Mull Ganeshi Lal ...	Ramdas-ki-mandi, Muttra.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Narain Das Bhaghirath Das	Brindaban Durwaza, Muttra.
Nidhamul Girdhari Lal ...	Do.
Ram Das ...	Bharatpur Durwaza, Muttra.
Allu Mian ...	Ghiamandi, Muttra.
Mangi Lal Girraj Mal ...	Kanskhai, Muttra.
Madan Mohan ...	Outside Holi Durwaza, Muttra.
Nainsukh Ram ...	Do.
Doctor Tirloki Nath (I) ...	Do.
Doctor Tirloki Nath (II)	Chawk Bazar, Muttra.
Reliance Coal & Coke Supply Co. ...	4, Nashville Road, Dehra Dun.
Rahimatulla Gani ...	Coal Merchants, Gheagunj, Etawah.
Gani Hazi Noor Mahammad	Coal Merchants, Ram Ganj, Etawah.
Narayandas Radharaman	Coal Merchants, New City, Etawah.
Babu Kalyan Pershad ...	Coal Merchants, Sabit Gunj, Etawah.
Narottam Singh Ram Dayal	Coal Merchants, Patrihomgunj, Etawah.
Kanhaya Lal Payrelal ...	Coal & Bamboo Merchants, New City, Etawah.
Bengal Chandra Rajeshwari Pershad ...	Coal Merchants, Chowk, Fyzabad.
Lala Gobind Pershad ...	Coal Merchant, Sahibgunj, Fyzabad.
Babu Ram Kissen Agarwalla ...	Coal Merchants, Rakabgunj, Fyzabad.
Mian Abdul Gaffoor ...	Coal Merchants, Rassitola, Fyzabad.
Jean Mian ...	Muchadori, Benares City.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Hafiz Mohammad Ali, son of Moradon Ali ...	Muchadori, Benares City.
Bisseswar Ahir ...	Do.
Damodar Seth ...	Katnapur, Benares.
Mohan Sahu ...	Babua Bazar, Benares.
Gonesh ...	Durga Ghat, Benares.
Ganga Ram ...	Faridpura, Benares City.
Ashgan Khan ...	Pierri, Benares.
Rahamatullah ...	Telliagunj, Benares.
Issurdas Beharylal ...	Kazipur Kalan, Benares City.
Fatechand Cheddalal ...	Do.
Bepin Chandra Ghatak ...	B/15/39A, Faridpura, Benares City.
Rajani Shankar Bhattacharjee ...	65, Pandey Howli, Benares City.
A. K. Ghosal ...	D/35/5, Pandey Howli, Benares City.
Mistri Nayi Sarak ...	Motasir, Benares.
Ramesh Chandra Ray Chowdhuri ...	Ganesh Mohalla, Benares City.
Bankim Behari Gupta ...	Plutas Engineering Co., Jangam Bari, Benares City.
Raja Ram Behari Lal ...	Khalispura, Benares City.
Jhumman Mia ...	Benia Park, Benares City.
Satish Chandra Banerjee (of Bhabasankar Bhattacharjee) ...	Mashan Ghat, Benares City.
S. K. Mukherjee ...	Faridpura, Benares City.
Anukul Chandra Sanyal ...	Kedar Ghat, Benares City.
Umesh Chandra Bhattacharya ...	Do.

UNITED PROVINCES—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Mittra, Mukherjee & Co. ...	Mashan Ghat, Benares City.
Milkhi Ram ...	Khodai Chowki, Benares City.
Nitya Gopal Biswas ...	Misripukhra, Benares City.
Bulakan ...	Muchadori, Benares City.
Labhuram Hariram ...	Khodai Chowki, Benares City.
Baburam ...	Do.
M. S. Trivedi ...	Garwassitollah, Benares City.
A. Jadavji & Co. ...	Jangam Bari, Benares City.
B. C. Mukherjee ...	106, Jangam Bari, Benares City.
S. C. Lahiri ...	267, Garureswar, Benares City.
Raghua Chamar ...	Dasaswamedh Ghat Road, Benares City.
Sannyal & Co. ...	Do.
Bhanna Sahu ...	Bhuteswar, Benares City.
Manindra Nath Biswas ...	Panday Howli, Benares City.
Karam Chand ...	Narangabad Road, Benares.
Mangra Chammar ...	Mansarobar, Benares.
Jagannath ...	Harish Chandra Ghat Road, Benares City.
Ramnath Keeri ...	Do.
Bhaba Sankar Bhattacharya	(Main Depot) 16/19, Pandey Howli, Benares City.
Umesh Ch. Bhattacharya	(Second shop), Ganga Mohal, Benares.
Gouri Sankar Bhattacharya	Khalispura, Benares.
A. K. Ghosal ...	Godhulia, Benares City.
Jitu Babu ...	107, Jangam Bari, Benares City.
Mukherjee & Co. ...	102, Jangam Bari, Benares City.
Chatterjee, Ganguly Bros. & Co. ...	Daihatta, Benares City.
Sudhir Kumar Mukherjee	15/38A, Faridpura, Benares City.

UNITED PROVINCES—*concld.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Banwarilal ...	University P.O., Naraiya, Benares.
Manni Lal ...	Do.
Ramsebak ...	University P. O., Jaganpuri, Benares.
Sarada Prosad ...	Chaitgunj, Benares City.
Babua Mia ...	Bhuteswar, Benares City.
Abdul Gaffoor ...	Narengabad, Baneres City.
Sarju Prosad Biswnath Prosad ...	P. O Jamui, Dt. Munghyr.
Tribeniram Krishna Lal	Teliaganj, Dankinganj, Mirzapur.
Purusottam Das Sarju Prosad	Ghantaghar, Mirzapur.
Jhanumall ...	Durga Devi, Mirzapur.
Pullu ...	Imarati, Mirzapur.
Beni Ram ...	Dankinghnj, Mirzapur.
Indian Soft Coke Depot ...	Welleslyganj, Mirzapur.
Soft Coke Agency ...	Ghantagnar, Mirzapur.
Hiralal Sewa Lal ...	Ratanganj, Mirzapur.

THE PUNJAB.

L. Khan Chand ...	Masti Gate, Lahore.
Ram Saran Das ...	Mati Bazar, Lahore.
Basakhi Ram Devi Dyal ...	Hira Mandi, Lahore.
M. Rahim Bux ...	Bazar Samian, Lahore.
M. Miraj Din ...	Shahi Mohalla, Lahore.
Jamala Singh Kartar Singh	Do.
Mahabir Prasad ...	Lange Mandi, Lahore.
Devi Chand Madan Mohan	Lange Mandi, Lahore.
Alla Dad Khan ...	Outside Bhatigate, Lahore.
Malik Mubarik Ali ...	Inside Bhatigate, Lahore.
Rashan Lal Sita Ram ...	Mahalla Jalotian, Lahore.

THE PUNJAB—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
M. Said Mohd. ...	Bazar Hakiman, Lahore.
Ch. Mohd. Akbar ...	Gumti Bazar, Lahore.
M. Munamar Khan ...	Chowk Matti, Lahore.
Nandi Gan & Co. ...	Jauri Mori, Lahore.
L. Ram Chand Talwar ...	Sutar Mandi, Lahore.
L. Nagina Mal ...	Sutar Mandi, Lahore.
L. Charan Das ...	Mohalla Sathan, Lahore.
Malik Allah Ditta ...	Chowk Wazir Khan Mosque, Lahore.
Bawa Ram Chand ...	Old Katwali, Lahore.
S. Tara Singh ...	Old Katwali, Lahore.
Sain Bodi ...	Chuni Mandi, Lahore.
Malik Mubarik Ali ...	Inside Sheranmala Gate, Lahore.
Haji Rahim Bux ...	Do.
Hussain Bux Jalal Din ...	Inside Yakki Gate, Lahore.
Mistri Mohd. Wazir ...	Chawk Nawab Sahib, Inside Mochigate, Lahore.
M. Chanan Din ...	Near Pipal Vehra, Inside Mochigate, Lahore.
L. Mulakh Raj ...	Said Mitha Bazar, Lahore.
L. Lal Chand Nayar ...	Rattan Chand Road, Lahore.
Ganpat Rai Kapur ...	Do.
Ch. Jiwan Mal ...	Do.
Wasdev & Bros. ...	Railway Road, Lahore.
Tulsi Ram Dina Nath ...	Do.
Khilanda Ram Jagan Nath	Do.
Dya Ram & Sons ...	Gowal Mandi, Lahore.
Harnam Das Rajindar Nath	Do.
Charan Das Daulat Ram	Do.
Mool Chand Sharma ...	Do.

THE PUNJAB—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Gurbux Rai Kapur ...	Chamberlain Road, Lahore.
Puran Chand Jugal Kishore	Do.
L. Prithvi Chand ...	Mohan Lal Road, Lahore.
Dina Nath Gopal Das ...	Do.
M. Fahimud Din ...	Changar Mohala, Lahore.
Dharam Chand Varmani & Sons ...	Hospital Road, Lahore.
Ram Rattan Dhanpat Rai	Guranditta Mal Road, Anarkali, Lahore.
Vishnu Das ...	Do.
M. Fahimuddin ...	Brandreth Road, Lahore.
Naulakha & Co. ...	Do.
S. Kirpal Singh ...	Ram Goli, Lahore.
S. Sant Singh ...	Do.
L. Pars Ram ...	Do.
L. Mela Ram ...	Do.
Ganga Das Brahm Das ...	Thornton Road, Lahore.
Standard Soft Coke & Coal Co. ...	Do.
L. Ram Rakha Mal ...	Bans Mandi, Lahore.
Syed Fazal Illahi ...	Do.
Umar Din ...	Old Anarkali, Lahore.
Bhagat Ram & Co. ...	Dhobi Mandi, Lahore.
Pt. Hans Raj ...	Dhobi Mandi, Lahore.
A. C. Mukherjee ...	Lytton Road, Lahore.
L. Ram Rattan ...	Lodge Road, Lahore.
Ram Rakha Mal Kanual Nain ...	Krishan Nagar, Lahore.
L. Faqir Chand ...	Do.
Faya Singh ...	Do.

THE PUNJAB—*contd*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Mahindra & Co. ...	Ram Nagar, Lahore.
S. Charan Singh & Sons	Do.
Chuni Lal Bakhshi Ram	Do.
L. Nand Shah ...	Rajgarh Road, Lahore.
L. Bal Krishan ...	Sant Nagar, Lahore.
Bakhshi Sundar Das ...	Do.
S. Hari Singh ...	Chanburji Govt. Quarters, Lahore.
Hans Raj Banarsi Das ...	Katcha Nishet Road, Lahore.
Pt. Kartar Chand ...	Nishet Road, Lahore.
L. Ram Saran Das ...	Do.
Rahmat Ali ...	Temple Road, Lahore.
L. Ghasita Mal ...	Bhundpura, Mazang, Lahore.
L. Lal Chand ...	Do.
Lawrence Coal & Fuel Co. ...	Mazang Road, Lahore.
Onkar Fuel & Coal Co.	Do.
L. Milkhi Ram ...	Do.
M. Jalal-ud-Din ...	Ferozepur Road, Lahore.
Saroop Singh Kesar Singh	Beadon Road, Lahore.
Parkash Bros. ...	Do.
M. Ghulam Haji Yasin ...	Coaper Road, Lahore.
L. Diwan Chand ...	McLeod Road, Lahore.
L. Kesar Das ...	Do.
M. Ghulam Mohd. Butt	Qila Gujar Singh, Lahore.
S. Harnam Singh ...	Do.
Punjab Fuel & Supply Co.	Do.
Khushi Ram Harbans Lal	Do.
L. Amar Nath ...	Hall Road, Lahore.
L. Sardari Lal ...	Abbott Road, Lahore.
M. Qadir Khan ...	Gulf Road, Lahore.

THE PUNJAB—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
L. Devi Ditta Mal ...	Lawrence Road, Lahore.
Charan Singh & Sons ...	Egerton Road, Lahore.
Bhagat Singh Guru Das ...	Do.
Daulat Ram & Sons ...	Durand Road, Lahore
H. R. Comar ...	Do.
L. Girdhari Ram ...	Mahni Road, Lahore.
L. Devi Ditta Mall ...	Lower Mall, Lahore.
Pritam Singh Santokh Singh ...	Ram Bagh Gate, Amritsar.
L. Harbans Lal Agarwal...	Outside Hall Gate, Amritsar.
L. Radha Kishan Bhagwan Das ...	Railway Road, Civil Lines, Amritsar.
L. Kundan Lal ...	Outside Hathi Gate, Amritsar.
L. Ram Dass ...	Outside Lohgarh, Amritsar.
L. Amar Nath Guran Datta Mal ...	Near Chowk Baba Sahib, Amritsar.
L. Chuni Lal Agarwal ...	Outside Lohgarh, Amritsar.
L. Roshan Lal Mehra ...	Do.
L. Baboo Ram Agarwal ...	Do.
L. Kharaiti Ram Wataili Ram ...	Do.
L. Hans Raj ...	Katra Ahluwala, Amritsar.
L. Mulk Raj ...	Do.
L. Sundar Dass ...	Do.
S. Karam Singh Sapuran Singh ..	Lakar Mandi, Amritsar.
S. Gulan Singh ...	Chowk Baba Sahib, Amritsar.
L. Salig Ram Gyan Prakash	Do.
L. Phagoo Mal ...	Do.

THE PUNJAB—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Brij Lal Kishan Chand ...	Dhab Vasti Ram, Amritsar.
L. Devi Prakash ...	Do.
S. Prabh Singh ...	Do.
L. Shiv Dayal ...	Outside Chati Wind Gate, Amritsar.
S. Bagh Singh ...	Landa Bazar, Nimak Mandi, Amritsar.
Pt. Gokal Chand ...	Landa Bazar, Amritsar.
S. Karam Singh ...	Nimak Mandi, Amritsar.
S. Gurdit Singh ...	Do.
Mohan Lal Gobind Lal ...	Katra Safaid, Amritsar.
Din Mohd. Ghulam Mohd.	Do
L. Shori Lal ...	Katra Hakima, Amritsar.
L. Shori Lal ...	Inside Hathi Gate, Amritsar.
L. Shio Dayal ...	Katra Dal Singh, Amritsar.
Pt. Shio Charan ...	Bagh Jhanda Singh, Amritsar.
S. Pritam Singh Hira Singh	Do
Mool Singh Joggi & Co.	Ramapura Gate, Peshwar City.
Gian Chand ...	Tarn Taran.
Sadhu Singh ...	Do.
Bakshish Singh ...	Do.
Bakhash Singh ...	Do.
L. Chunilal Chabra ...	Wazirbadi Gate, Guzranwalla.
M. Attaullah ...	Outside Wazirbadi Gate, Guzranwalla.
Chunilal Chamanlal Monga	Wazirbadi Gate, Guzranwalla.
Dayal Mal Harbans Lal ...	Do.
S. Natha Singh Madan ...	Sabaz Mandi, Guzranwalla.
Chunilal Malhotra ...	Wazirbadi Gate, Guzranwalla.
Sikri Brothers ...	Ferozepore City.

THE PUNJAB—*contd.*

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Ram Lal Ugarsen	...	Ferozepore Cantonment.
L. Rama Nand	...	Do.
Darbari Mal Ramji Lal	...	Do.
Sambhu Dayal	...	Do.
Mohan Lal Ganeshi Lal	...	Do.
Pala Ram Amar Nath	...	Sadar Bazar, Montgomery.
Jagat Ram & Sons	...	Coal Merchants, Sadar Bazar, Sealkot Cantonment.
Atta Ulla & Co.	...	Coal Merchants, Katchery Bazar, Sealkot.
Joikeshen & Sons	...	Coal Merchants, Katchery Bazar, Sealkot.
Jai Kishen	...	Do.
Sundar Das	...	Do.
Said Mohd. Khan	...	Sadar Bazar, Sealkot Cantonment
Allah Bux	...	Do.
Fateh Mohd.	...	Do.
Ibrahim	...	Do.
Pira	...	Do.
Khem Singh	...	Market Road, Rawalpindi Cantt.
Prem Singh Gurdial Singh		Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantt.
Gul Khan	...	Do.
Amar Singh	...	Do.
Lama Mandu	...	Do.
Mohammad Khan	...	Do.
Maula Baksh	...	Do.
Sherkhan	...	Do.
Gurdas Mal	...	Do.
Lal Baz Khan	...	Top Khana Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantonment.

THE PUNJAB—*concld.*

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Gokal Chand	...	Lal Kurti Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantonment.
Samel Khan	...	Chauki No. 22, Rawalpindi Cantt.
Habib	...	Lal Kurti Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantonment.
Lohari Mal	...	Do.
Prabh Dyal	...	Do.
Bashambar	...	Do.
Kishori Lal	...	Do.
Baboo Lal	...	Do.
Lachman Narain	...	Do.
Ajudhia	...	Lal Kurti Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantonment.
Sher Dad Khan	...	Do
Manohar Lal	...	Do.
Masood Khan	...	Mareer Bazar, Rawalpindi Cantt.
Hari Singh	...	Chhachhi Mohal, Rawalpindi City.
Teja Singh Kishan Singh		Do.
Mir Khan	...	Murree Road, Rawalpindi (City)
Sher Baz Khan	...	Do.
Gal Khan	...	Raja Bazar, Rawalpindi (City).
Trilok Singh	...	College Road, Rawalpindi (City).
Bali Ram & Co.	...	Bengal Coal Merchants, Wazirabad.
A. N. Chadda & Co.	...	Bengal Coal and General Merchants, Wazirabad.
Jagannath Chowla	...	Sargoda.
Karam Chand Thapar & Co.		Railway Road, Kasur.
Bhag Singh Kathar Singh Madan	...	Bengal Coal Merchants, Railway Road, Gujrat (Punjab).

A view of the Committee's stall at Delhi Exhibition, 1935.

DELHI.

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Siraj Uddin ...	Block No. 1, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Hiralal Gupta ...	Block No. 2, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Hamid & Co. ...	Block No. 3, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Standard Coal Co. ...	Block No. 4, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Pandit Milkhy Ram & Sons	Block No. 5, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Ajmeri Jalal Uddin ...	Block No. 6, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Bengal Coal Co. ...	Block No. 7, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Star Coal Co. ...	Block No. 8, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Gupta Coal Co. ...	Block No. 9, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Shekh Noor Mohammad ...	Block No. 10, Gole Market, New Delhi.
Krishna Lal Gupta ...	Paharganj, Delhi.
Sultan Ahmad Coal Co. ...	Do.
Sukhdao Coal Co. ...	Do.
Doaba Wood & Coal Co. ...	Do.
Khalsa Coal Co. ...	Do.
Bhalla Fuel & Coal Co. ...	Do.
Lakshmi Coal Co. ...	Do.
Jaswant Singh Coal Co. ...	Do.
Pat Ram Yad Ram ...	Do.
Ramjilal Umrao Singh ...	Do.
Chuni Lal Coal Co. ...	Do.
Ram Saroop Sat Narain ...	Outside Ajmere Gate, Delhi.

DELHI—*contd.*

NAME	ADDRESS.
Krishna Coal Co. ...	Outside Ajmere Gate, Delhi.
Ganga Pershad Gupta ...	Ajmere Gate, Delhi.
Hamid & Co. ...	Do.
Lakki Ram ...	Do.
Sheikh Inayatullah ...	Hanz Qazi, Delhi.
Brijmohan Lal Heeralal ...	Bazar Sita Ram, Delhi.
Piarey Lal Fateh Chand ...	Do.
Baboo Ram Faquir Chand	Chooriwalan, Delhi.
Badri Pershad ...	Chitli Kahar, Delhi.
Aga Mirza ...	Do.
Hashmat ...	Matya Mahal, Delhi.
Ramkishan ...	Pandit Prem Narain Road, Delhi.
Moti Ram ...	Bazar Sita Ram, Delhi.
Punjab Coal Co. ...	Kutcha Pati Ram, Delhi.
Mahammad Yamin ...	Chandni Mahal, Tiraha Behramkhan, Delhi.
Kailash Narain Jaggat Narain ...	Darya Gunj, Delhi.
Shib Charan Das Sher Singh	Do.
Sio Ram Jaini ...	Kutcha Bulaki Begum, Dareeba, Delhi.
Heera Lal Gupta ...	Egerton Road, Delhi.
Abdullah Abdul Gani ..	Billimaran, Delhi.
Bishan Saroop & Co. ...	Katra Baryan, Delhi.
L. Preetam Chand ...	Do.
Radhe Lal ...	Do.
Faquir Chand ...	Kinari Bazar, Delhi.
Ram Chand Dal Chand ...	Pakka Katra, Delhi.
Balmukand ...	Masjid Khajoor, Delhi.
Sundar Lal Jain ...	Lahore Gate, Delhi.

DELHI—*concld.*

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Mohammad Yasin	...	Gyara Gali, Saddar Bazar, Delhi.
Addan	...	Barah Tooli, Saddar Bazar, Delhi.
Bishambhar Nath	...	Paharee Dhiraj, Saddar Bazar, Delhi.
Sri Ram Kawar	...	Ahata Kidor Nath, Phari Dhiraj Saddar Bazar, Delhi.
Abdul Gaffor	...	Bara Hindoo Road, Delhi.
Tota Ram	...	Khajoor Road, Karol Bagh, Delhi.
Salig Ram	...	Do.
Shib Charan & Sons	...	Chapparwala Kuan, Karol Bagh, Delhi.
Mahmmad Uddin	...	Pul Bangash, Delhi.
Ewazkhan	...	Do.
Khalsa Coal Co.	...	Nahar Saodat Khan, Delhi.
Haldar & Co	...	Phatak Hahash Khan, Delhi.
Bansi Dhar	...	Moori Gate, Delhi.
Phool Chand	...	Do.
Shabuddin	...	Do.
Dhingra Bros.	...	Do.
Shamsuddin	...	Roshnara Road, Subzi Mandi, Delhi.
Hukam Chand	...	Subzi Mandi, Delhi.
Panna Lal	...	Do.
Lakshmi Parshad	...	Do.
Surjan Singh	...	Subzi Mandi, Delhi.
Yusuf Coal Co.	...	Kashmiri Gate, Delhi.
Nand Kishore	...	Katra Sri Ram, Near Maiden's Hotel, Delhi.

BOMBAY.

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Yazdani Coal Depot ...	Khusgri Baug Colaba, Bombay.
Yazdani Coal Depot ...	Bohra Musjid Street, Bombay Fort.
Bombay Swastik Coke Co.	Gunbow Street, Bombay Fort.
Goculdass Purshottam ...	Mody Street, Bombay Fort.
Tha. Jagjivan Premji ...	Mangaldass Road, Princess Street, Bombay, 2.
Gaurishanker Narayanji Joni	Cavel Street, Bombay, 2.
R. & M. Coal Co. ...	Khattaralli, Thakurdwar, Bombay.
Bengal Coal & Coke Syndicate ...	Clare Road, Byculla, Bombay.
A. J. Armstrong ...	Shapuria Building, Agri Pada, Bombay.
Bombay Swastik Coke Co.	Khetwadi 3rd Lane, Sandhurst Road, Bombay.
Bombay Swastik Coke Co.	Opp. Reay Road Station, Mazgaon, Bombay.
Mahomed Essa ...	Jamli Mahalla, Pydhownie, Bombay.
A. L. Ojha & Sons ...	G. I. P. Goods Shed, Byculla, Bombay.
A. F. Fernandez ...	Do.
Domestic Coal Co. ...	Do.
Empire Coal Co. ...	Do.
Shah Bros. ...	Do.
Hargovind Shivlal & Co.	Do.
Jeram Keshavji ...	Do.
Keshavji Bhimji ...	Do.
Purshottam Madhomji ...	Do.
B. C. Gazdar ...	Do.

BOMBAY—*contd.*

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Girdhan Lall & Co.	...	G. I. P. Goods Shed, Byculla, Bombay.
Gordhan Dass & Co.	...	Do.
Gordhan Dass & Co.	...	Pinjra Pole Street, Bombay.
B. R. Rede	...	Vincent Road, Dadar, G. I. P.
R. P. Mhatre	...	Dr. Purandhar, Chawal, Bhawani Shanker Road, Dadar, B. B. & C. I.
D. M. Naik	...	Gujrat Coal Depot, Ranade Road, Municipal Market, Dadar, B. B. C. I.
Behrilal Lalluram	...	Zaveri Building, Lachminarain Lane, Matunga (G. I. P.).
Mahomed Syed	...	146, Lady Hardinge Road, Matunga, B. B. C. I., Bombay.
R. D. Rasquinha	...	44, Mathuradass Building, Bazar Road, Mahim, Bombay.
Charles & Co., Props. A. F. Fernandy	...	Ghod Bunder Road, Bandra, Bombay.
Wazir Ahmed	...	Waroda Road, Bandra, B. B. C. I., Bombay.
Kemp Dairy & Stores	...	Hill Road, Bandra, B. B. C. I., Bombay.
J. G. Sequeira	...	Sequeira Cottage Street, Peters Road, Bandra, Bombay.
Ratanshi Keshavji (Grocer)		1st Road, Khar, Bandra, Bombay.
Purshottam Jivanji	...	Ghod Bunder Road, Khar, Bandra, Bombay.
Sha Sarang Bhavmal	...	Ghod Bunder Road, Santa Cruz, Bombay.

BOMBAY—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Sha Goshal Umarshi ...	2nd Hasnabad Lane, Santa Cruz, Bombay.
Sha Tokarshi ...	Station Road, Santa Cruz, Bombay.
Modi Velji Raishi ...	1st Hasnabad Lane, Santa Cruz, Bombay.
Bharat Coal Supplying Co.	Station Road, Vile-Parle, Bombay.
Kassumali G. Charania ...	Do.
Mathradass Champsi ...	Nehru Road, Vile-Parle, Bombay.
Hargan Asau ...	Tejpal Road, Vile-Parle, B. B. C. I., Bombay.
E. M. Patel ...	Station Road, Near Post Office, Andheri, Bombay.
Mangalji Gangji ...	Ghod Bunder Road, Andheri, Bombay.
Hassam Ramji ...	Andheri Market, Andheri, Bombay.
Ranchhordas Modji ...	Station Road, Malad, Bombay.
Mohanlal Lalji ...	Gorai Road, Khofe's Chawl, Borivle, Bombay.
Govind Prasad Jivan Bhai Desai ...	Ghod Bunder Road, Borivle, Bombay.
Ghatkopar Sarvajanik Stores ...	Station Road, Ghatkopar, G. I. P., Bombay.
Bengal Coal & Coke Syndicate ...	Agra Road, G. I. P., Bombay.
Tulsidass Ranchhordas ...	Hansraj Morarji's Wadi, Ghatkopar, G. I. P., Bombay.
Mr. Tulsidass Ranchhod...	Railway Goods Yard, Sion (G. I. P.), Bombay.

BOMBAY—*contd.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Mr. Tulsidass Ranchhod	Hansraj Morarji's Wadi, Ghatkopar, Bombay.
Sha Natwarlall Tribhovandass Sanjanwalla ...	Railway Yard, Andheri (B. B. C. I), Bombay.
Messrs. Gopaldas G Shroff & Company ...	Coal Merchants and Store Suppliers, Gresham Building, 45, Esplanade Road, Fort Bombay.
S. C. Mukherjee ...	Sarangpur, Munshi's Compound, Ahmedabad.
Noorbhai & Co. ...	Saraspur, Ahmedabad.
Union Coal Co. ...	Hasumia Lalmia's Compound, Asarva, Ahmedabad.
Sree Ram Vijaya Coal Co.	Asarva, Ahmedabad.
Shantilal Harishankar ...	Ellis Bridge, Ahmedabad.
M. F. Munshi & Co. ...	Sarangpur, Opp. Madhobag, Ahmedabad.
Jeverbhai & Co. ...	Kapasia Bazzar, Ahmedabad.
Fate Mahomed Noormohammad ...	Colsa Gali, Ahmedabad.
Fide Husain Chaturbhai ...	Asarva, Ahmedabad.
Nathalal Khusaldas ...	Narshiji Pole, Baroda.
Guzrat Trading Co. ...	Baroda.
D. H. Rawat & Co. ...	Sayajigunj, Baroda.
Atma Ram Bhagvan & Co.	Baroda.
Raghunath Das Bhikamdas	Ganj Bazar, Ahmednagar.
Jagannath Gopaldas Halvai	Do.
Ramprotap Ramgopal ...	Talikhant, Ahmednagar.
G. K. Parekh & Sons ...	New Karanja, Ahmednagar City.
D. G. Gujrati & Brothers	Nawi Peth, Ahmednagar.

BOMBAY—*concld.*

NAME.	ADDRESS.
Crown Coal Co. ...	334, Rasta's Peth, Poona, 2.
Bengal Coal Supplying Firm ...	511, Budhwar Peth, Poona, 2.
Valimahomed Tarmahomed	278, Ravivar Peth, Poona, 2.
The Bengal Coal Supply Co., Prop. Mr. H. N. Nania ...	Opposite G. I. P. Rly. Goods Shed, Poona.
Oddy & Co. ...	61, Connaught Market, Camp, Poona, 1.
Indian Coal Trading Co....	20, Shukravar Peth, Poona, 2. 368, Sadashiv Main Road, Poona, 2. 595, Budhwar Peth, Poona, 2
Dattatray Marutirao & Co.	84, Vetal Peth, Poona, 2.
Coal and Fire-wood Depot, Proprietor Mr. S. B. Phadkar ...	Near Sita Devi, Ravivar, Poona, 2.
Vadilal Hatichand ...	65-75, Old Bazar, Kirkee, Poona.
Bhicamdass & Co. ...	Nana-Peth, Poona, 2.
V. S. & Co. ...	72, Nana's Peth, Poona, 2.
Vithoba Raoji & Co. ...	23, Rasta's Peth, Poona, 2.
Hajim Khan & Co., Fuel Merchants ...	Daru-walla Bridge, Poona, 2.
Mulchand Amarchand Shah, Coal Merchant ...	844 Dastur-mehar Rd., Camp. Poona 1.
A. B. Salunkhe, Fuel Merchant ...	339, Rasta's Peth, Poona.
P. V. & Co., Fuel Contractors ...	48, Shukravar Peth, Poona.
Gakul Vishwanath ...	Near Gararia Kuwa, Rajkot Para.
M. Laxminarayan & Co. ...	Para Bazar, Rajkot.

RAJPUTANA.

NAME.		ADDRESS.
Ramgopal Hanumandas Neemwala	...	Naya Bazar, Ajmer.
L. N. Mehra & Co.	...	Katchary Road, Ajmer.
Bansidher Kunjbehari Lall		Kaisarganj, Ajmer.
Patel & Co. ...	...	Nahormahalla, Ajmer.

ORISSA.

Nagendra Nath Bose	...	Puri.
Purnachandra Dutt	...	Kath Gola, Puri.
Ashutosh Sarkar	...	Puri.
Prokash Ch. Bhattacherjee		Dhanwantary Oushadhalay, Puri.
Bose & Sons	...	Puri.
Pandava Jally	...	Puri Station Side, Puri.
Kam Deb Chakarvarty	...	Dolmandab Sahi, Puri.
Sreedhar Jana	...	Station Side, Puri.
Umesh Chandra Bose	...	P. O. Chauliagunj, Cuttack.
Ananda Ch. Prodhan	...	Do.
Lal Mohamad	...	Do.
Mani Sahu	...	Baxi Bazar, Cuttack.
Md. Jaffarulla Kazi Sahi	...	Bhadrak.
Madhu Sen	...	Purna Bazar, Bhadrak.
B. P. Chatter	...	Charampa, Bhadrak.
Atal Behari Das	...	Zaminder, Barabati, Balasore.
Samarendra K. Dey	...	Bhaskaigunj, Balasore.
Ananta Nath Sethi	...	Sholepur, Matigunj, Balasore.
Netai Krishna Seal, c/o Tarachand Mondal		Zamindar, Matigunj, Balasore.
Ananda Lira	...	Contractor, Balasore.

MADRAS.

NAME.	ADDRESS.
East Coast Soft Coke Distributors ...	Barracks Street, Berhampore (Ganjam).
Balarampanda ...	Berhampur (Ganjam).
T. R. Rao ...	Coal & Coke Dealer, Vizianagram
Lalji Ramji ...	Waltair Station, Waltair.
Jaggya ...	Main Road, Vizagapatam.
Muhamed Ismail Saheb ...	Maulalipanja, Vizagapatam.
S. D. Mehta & Co., Ltd. ...	420/421, Mint Street, G. T. Madras.
S D. Mehta & Co., Ltd. ..	Sunview Lodge, High Road, Royapeth, Madras.
Bengal Coal Trading Co., Ltd. ...	Sydenham Road, Vepery, Madras.
City Soft Coke Agency ...	347, Thiruvottiyer High Road, Washerman Pet P. O., Madras.
Syed Usman & Co. ...	154, Manaarswami Koil Street, Rayapuram, Madras.
The Popular Agency ...	Friend & Co., 1, Hunters Road, Vepery, Madras.
D. Narayanamurtty ...	29, Thatchi Aruna Chala Mudali Street, Mylapore, Madras.
V. R. Gopalaswami ...	3rd Street, Raghaviah Road, East Mambalam, Madras.
Raja Gopalan & Co. ...	Mangesh Street, Mamblam, Madras.
Sundara Nadar ...	Firewood & Charcoal Depot. High Road, Nungambakam, Madras.
R. Padmanabham ...	" Swadeshi Mart " High Road, Nungambakam, Madras.
City Stores ...	470, Pycroft's Road, Triplicane, Madras.

MADRAS—*concld.*

NAME.		ADDRESS.
B. Manj Nath Pai	...	35, Vengu Pillai Street, Egmore, Madras.
Forest Chemical Co.	..	75, Govindappa Naik Street, G. T., Madras.
Lakshmi & Co.	...	136, High Road, Rayapettah, Madras.
Lakshmi & Co.	...	1/73 Sembudoss Street, G T., Madras.
M. O. Abdul Hakeem Saheb		Jail Road, Coimbatore.
R. K. Pillay & Co.	...	Annamma's Temple Street, Bangalore City.
Teherali Mulla Ibrahim	...	Akola (Berar).
A. R. Bengal Soft Coke Coy.	...	Aurandelpet, Guntur.

Appendix "C."

Statement showing the comparative rates (approximate) per standard maund for various kinds of domestic fuel prevailing in different towns in the various provinces.

Towns.	Wood fuel.	Charcoal.	Soft Coke.	Hard Coke.	Cinders	Cowdung cakes, etc.
UNITED PROVINCES.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lucknow ...	0 7 0 to 0 8 0	1 8 0 to 2 0 0	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	0 11 0 to 0 12 0	0 9 0 to 0 10 0	...
Cawnpore ...	0 9 0	1 4 0 to 1 6 0	0 9 0	...	0 8 0	...
Agra	0 8 0 to 0 9 0	1 8 0 to 1 12 0	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	...	0 7 0 to 0 8 0	0 4 0
Delhi	0 10 6 to 0 11 0	1 6 0 to 1 8 0	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	0 13 0 to 0 15 0	...	0 6 0
Allahabad ...	0 7 0	1 2 0 to 1 10 0	0 7 0 to 0 9 0	0 7 0 to 0 9 0	0 4 0 to 0 5 0	0 5 6
Aligarh ...	0 8 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	0 9 0 to 0 11 0	0 12 0 to 0 14 0	0 9 0	0 6 3
Benares ...	0 12 0 to 0 14 0	2 0 0	0 8 0 to 0 11 0	...	...	...
Fyzabad ...	0 8 0	2 8 0	0 9 6	0 10 0	...	...
Etawah	0 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 10 0	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	0 8 0	2 0 0	0 12 0	0 11 0 to 0 15 0	0 6 0	...
Muttra	0 6 0 to 0 7 0	1 6 0 to 1 8 0	0 10 0 to 0 12 0	...	...	0 7 6
Hathras ...	0 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 12 0	...	...	...
Saharanpur ...	0 10 0	2 4 0 to 2 8 0	...	...	0 8 0	...
Mirzapore ...	0 9 0	1 4 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 5 0	0 3 0
Meerut ...	0 8 0 to 0 10 6	1 12 0 to 2 0 0	0 10 0	...	...	0 4 0
Bareilly ..	0 8 0 to 0 9 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 11 0 to 0 12 0	...	0 6 0	...

A view of sandwich boys parading in the streets of Poona.

PUNJAB.							
Lahore ...	...	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	1 12 0 to 2 0 0	0 12 0	...	0 8 0 to 0 10 0	0 8 0
Amritsar	...	0 8 0 to 0 10 6	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 10 6 to 0 13 0	...	...	0 6 0
Multan ...	...	0 8 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	1 2 0 to 1 4 0	...	0 5 0	...
Sealkot ...	...	0 11 0	2 0 0 to 2 8 0	0 14 0 to 1 2 0	...	...	...
Guzranwala	...	0 13 0	2 0 0	0 12 0	...	...	...
Rawalpindi	...	0 6 0 to 0 13 0	2 0 0 to 2 8 0	0 14 0 to 1 2 0	..	...	...
Hissar ...	...	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	...
Montgomery	...	0 4 0	1 8 0	1 2 0	...	...	...
Ferozepore	...	0 12 0	2 0 0	0 13 0 to 0 14 0	...	...	0 4 0
BOMBAY.							
Bombay	...	1 1 6	1 10 0	0 12 6	...	...	1 4 0 (Charcoal Briquettes)
Kalyan ...	...	0 15 0	2 0 0	...	0 14 0	...	...
Poona ...	...	0 14 0 to 0 15 0	1 12 0 to 1 14 0	0 14 0	1 0 0	...	...
Sholapur	...	1 9 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	...
Nasik ...	...	1 5 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	...
Sahabad	...	1 5 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	...
Ahmednagar	...	1 5 0	2 7 0	1 0 0	...	...	...
Bulsar ...	...	1 0 0	2 1 0	...	..	...	...

Appendix "C"—*contd.*

Towns.	Wood fuel.	Charcoal.	Soft Coke.	Hard Coke.	Cinders.	Cowdung cakes, etc.
BOMBAY—*contd.*	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Ahmedabad ...	0 14 0 to 1 0 0	1 14 0 to 2 0 0	0 14 0	...	...	0 5 6
Broach	0 12 0	1 8 0	...	...	...	...
Baroda	1 0 0	1 12 0 to 2 0 0	0 13 0 to 0 14 0	...	...	...
Surat	0 8 0 to 0 12 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	...	...	...
Viramgam ...	0 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	...
Bhavnagar ...	0 12 0 to 0 14 0	...	...	...	...	...
Jamnagar ...	1 0 0 to 1 4 0	3 0 0 to 3 8 0	...	...	...	...
Rajkot	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	1 4 0 to 1 5 0	0 8 0 to 0 9 0	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	...	0 5 0
ORISSA.						
Cuttack ...	0 14 0 to 1 4 0	3 12 0 to 5 0 0	0 8 0 to 0 9 0	...	...	...
Puri	0 12 0	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	0 10 0	...	...	...
Balasore ...	0 10 0 to 0 11 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 9 0 to 0 12 0	...	...	..
Bhadrak ...	0 9 0 to 0 11 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 12 0 to 0 14 0	...	...	...
MADRAS.						
Berhampur } Ganjam } ...	0 8 6	...	0 10 6	...	...	...
Waltair	0 10 0 to 0 12 0	1 8 0 to 4 0 0	0 14 0	...	...	...
Madras	0 8 6 to 0 9 6	1 7 0	0 15 9	...	...	...

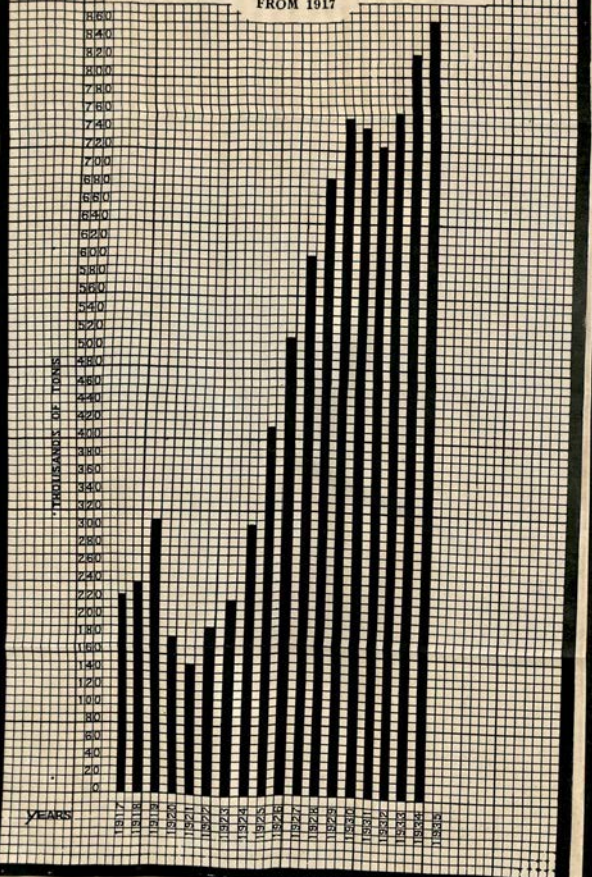
APPENDIX "D"

INDIAN SOFT COKE CESS COMMITTEE

DESPATCHES OF SOFT COKE

YEAR BY YEAR

FROM 1917



Appendix "E."

Statement showing the quantity of soft coke despatched from the Bengal and Bihar Coalfields year by year since 1917.

Year.	Tons.
1917	225,120
1918	240,269
1919	308,565
1920	181,530
1921	151,417
1922	188,919
1923	220,061
1924	304,745
1925	415,969
1926	515,665
1927	608,612
1928	689,205
1929	754,115
1930	745,564
1931	722,597
1932	756,036
1933	823,073
1934	860,478

Appendix "F."

Statement showing the approximate cost of soft coke per ton F.O.R. at certain important Towns.

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R. Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 6 6
Howrah	7 6 6
Serampore	6 15 0
Chandernagore	6 11 0
Nabadwip	7 8 0
Katwa	7 10 0
Burdwan	5 11 0
Azimgunge	6 13 0
Sahebgunge	7 13 0
Bhagalpur	8 4 0
Mongheyr	7 11 0
Dinapore	7 11 0
Patna Jn.	7 8 0
Gaya	6 2 0
Buxar	8 15 0
Moghalserai	8 13 0
Benares Cantt.	8 15 0
Mozaffarpur	9 15 3
Gorakhpur	9 12 10
Chapra	9 9 10
Darbhanga	9 12 3
Fyzabad	9 1 0
Lucknow	9 8 0
Mirzapore	9 1 0
Allahabad	9 1 0
Cawnpore	9 8 0

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R. Rs. A. P.
Bareilly	10 8 0
Etawah	10 3 0
Tundla	10 10 0
Hathras	10 13 0
Agra City (Belangunj)	10 10 0
Muttra Jn.	11 3 0
Moradabad	10 15 0
Aligarh	10 15 0
Delhi	11 8 0
Meerut City	11 8 0
Saharanpur	11 12 0
Ambala City	12 3 0
Hardwar	11 10 0
Dehra Dun	12 12 0
Simla	22 14 6
Amritsar	13 5 0
Lahore	13 10 0
Gujranwala	13 14 0
Wazirabad	14 0 0
Sialkot	13 14 0
Ferozepore City	13 5 0
Jullunder City	13 1 0
Ludhiana	12 12 0
Montgomery	14 0 0
Multan City	14 12 0
Lyallpur	14 3 0
Gujrat	14 0 0
Jammu	14 0 0
Rawalpindi	14 14 0

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R. Rs. A. P.
Nowshera	15 7 0
Peshwar City	15 9 0
Bahawalpur	15 7 0
Hyderabad (Sind)	15 15 6
Karachi	16 14 0
Jodhpur	13 9 6
Marwar Jn.	13 7 6
Ajmer	12 13 6
Jaipur	12 4 6
Bikaner	13 15 6
Alwar	12 2 6
Rutlam	13 3 0
Udaipur	15 0 6
Ujjain	12 12 0
Kotah	12 7 0
Indore	13 4 6
Gwalior	11 1 0
Jhansi	10 10 0
Bina	11 5 0
Bhopal	11 14 0
Manikpur	9 5 0
Katni	10 3 0
Jubbulpore	10 7 0
Itarsi	11 10 0
Nagpur	10 13 0
Raipur, C. P.	9 6 0
Bombay	15 4 0
Surat	14 2 0
Ahmedabad	14 9 0

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R.		
	Rs.	A.	P.
Nadiad	14	7	0
Baroda	14	5	0
Broach	14	7	0
Porebunder	22	1	6
Jamnagar	20	6	8
Morvi	17	1	7
Rajkot	18	2	5
Gondal	19	6	8
Bhavnagar	17	13	6
Nasik Road	14	7	0
Bhusaval	12	12	0
Manmad	13	9	0
Aurangabad	16	15	11
Ahmednagar	14	2	0
Poona	14	14	0
Sholapur	15	7	0
Kolhapur	19	11	6
Belgaum	21	6	6
Kharagpur	6	2	0
Bankura	4	9	0
Midnapore	5	15	0
Contai Road	6	11	0
Balasore	7	13	0
Bhadrak	8	8	0
Cuttack	9	3	0
Bhubaneswar	9	1	0
Puri	9	1	0
Berhampore (Ganjam)	9	6	0
Waltair	10	8	0

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R.		
	Rs.	A.	P.
Vizianagram	10	3	0
Vizagapatam	10	8	0
Ellore	12	0	0
Masulipattam	14	2	5
Bezwada	12	5	0
Coconada	11	7	0
Madras	14	5	0
Nellore	13	7	0
Pondichery	19	2	1
Cuddalore	19	4	4
Mandapam	24	6	0
Negapatam	21	4	1
Salem	20	4	3
Trichinopoly	21	4	1
Madura	23	3	10
Tuticorin	24	15	0
Trivindrum	26	5	9
Hyderabad (Deccan)	19	2	3
Secunderabad (Deccan)	18	15	11
Calicut	24	15	1
Bangalore	20	6	6
Mangalore	23	1	8
Diamond Harbour	8	3	0
Canning	8	1	0
Budge Budge	7	13	0
Barackpore	7	1	0
Ranaghat	7	6	0
Naihati Jn.	6	11	0
Jessore	8	6	0

Towns.	Cost per ton F. O. R.
	Rs. A. P.
Khulna	8 15 0
Faridpore	9 3 0
Berhampore (Bengal)	8 13 0
Murshidabad	8 15 0
Maldah	9 9 10
Purnea	9 14 4
Kishenganj	10 2 10
Jalpaiguri	9 8 0
Silliguri	9 10 0
Darjeeling	22 7 1
Rungpur	9 9 10
Dinajpur	9 9 10
Parbatipur	9 3 0
Amingaon	11 0 10
Gauhati	11 10 1
Mymensingh	10 0 10
Serajgunj	9 3 0
Goalundo	9 4 0
Dacca	10 7 10
Naraingunj	10 9 10
Sylhet Bazar	14 8 1
Chandpur	12 12 1
Comilla	12 12 1
Chittagong	14 12 1

The rates have been arrived at by taking the price of soft coke at an average rate of Rs. 2/12/- per ton F.O.R. Colliery and including the surcharge cess of annas 2 per ton. Soft coke may be had even at cheaper rates. Intending purchasers are recommended to correspond with the colliery owners and manufacturers of soft coke for rates and terms.

Appendix "G."

Abstract Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1934-35.

RECEIPTS.	Rs.	As.	P.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	As.	P.
(*a*) Opening Balance	23,898	5	7	(*a*) Administration of the Committee ...	22,394	13	0
(*b*) Under Section 3 (2) of Act ...	1,13,887	14	5	(*b*) Measures taken for promoting the sale of soft coke	91,733	8	6
(*c*) Any receipts that may have been obtained from measures taken for promoting the sale or improving the methods of manufacture of soft coke	6,486	2	0	(*c*) Measures taken for improving the method of manufacture of soft coke	1,800	0	0
				(*d*) Miscellaneous	3,516	8	8
				(*e*) 1. Miscellaneous advances ...	290	0	0
				2. Permanent advance	15	0	0
(*d*) Interest from Investments ...	200	0	0	(*f*) Refund of Security Deposit etc, lodged with the Committee in previous years	4,000	0	0
(*e*) Receipts on account of refund of Permanent Advances made by the Committee in previous years ...	40	0	0	(*g*) Balance carried over—			
				Rs. As. P.			
				*Bank ... 20,751 4 4			
				Cash ... 11 3 6			
					20,762	7	10
TOTAL Rs. ...	1,44,512	6	0	TOTAL Rs. ...	1,44,512	6	0

* As per Bank the balance is Rs. 20,944-1-1.

The difference of Rs. 192-12-9 is due to:—

8 (eight) Cheques issued in March, 1935 not having been cashed in that month.

J. R. HARRISON,
President,
Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee.

B. C. DUTT,
Examiner, Outside Audit, Calcutta.

S. N. BANERJI,
Secretary,
Indian Soft Coke Cess Committee.

Appendix "H."

Statement showing arrival of soft coke wagons at different centres during 1934 and 1935.

Month.	Delhi		Bombay		Allahabad		Agra		Ahmedabad		Lahore		Cawnpore		Lucknow		Rajkot		Poona		Madras		Berhampur	Bareilly		Mirzapore	
	1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934-35		1934 1935	1934-35		1934-35	
January	65	67	17	18	37	38	16	24	21	18	82	57	20	32	21	24	0	1	3	9	2	5	0	5	11	2	2
Feb. ...	52	68	7	17	37	43	21	21	17	14	27	44	28	25	23	27	2	0	7	5	1	3	1	5	3	2	2
March	47	54	10	18	36	35	10	21	15	21	45	61	13	26	15	31	0	1	8	6	1	3	0	14	5	1	1
April ...	43	40	4	12	30	33	8	16	7	14	34	31	28	19	12	16	0	1	8	3	1	2	0	7	3	1	2
May ...	36	31	15	9	24	28	12	14	18	11	42	51	23	15	14	16	0	1	10	6	1	2	1	7	5	0	1
June ...	33	29	3	16	24	27	10	17	13	22	28	48	17	15	13	13	0	1	9	7	3	1	1	7	9	1	1
July ...	40	42	10	18	18	33	18	19	14	18	33	25	31	23	12	19	0	1	5	6	1	3	0	4	4	1	2
August	39	38	9	11	26	28	10	8	16	14	23	31	18	9	16	13	1	0	8	7	1	2	1	0	3	1	3
Sept....	44	38	11	19	27	27	12	28	17	12	35	41	19	24	14	18	1	1	7	6	2	4	1	2	4	1	4
October	52	71	13	13	30	34	16	21	19	30	75	67	31	31	27	30	1	1	8	9	2	4	2	8	9	1	5
Nov. ...	63	64	16	9	37	38	15	21	15	18	35	41	25	23	15	21	1	1	7	7	2	4	1	6	4	1	5
Dec. ...	45	48	14	14	35	36	17	15	21	10	51	67	34	27	24	26	0	1	7	8	4	2	1	5	7	1	6
Total ...	569	590	129	174	361	400	165	225	193	202	510	564	287	269	206	254	6	10	87	79	21	35	9	70	67	13	34

Appendix "I."

Statement showing the average expenditure per head per day in a family of ten members for different kinds of fuel at certain important stations.

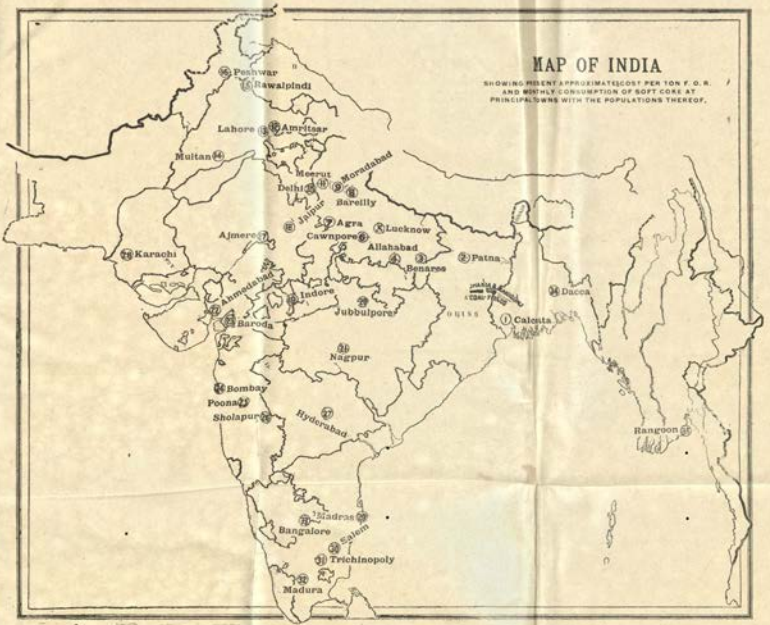
Station.	Wood.			Charcoal.			Soft coke.			Cinder.			Cowdung.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Moradabad	0	0	4·8	0	1	7·2	0	0	3·6	0	0	2·2	.....		
Poona	0	0	5	0	0	6	0	0	1·7	.....			.....		
Lucknow	0	0	2·3	0	0	8·5	0	0	1·5	0	0	2·5	.....		
Meerut	0	0	9	0	1	0	0	0	3	.....			.....		
Agra	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	1·6	0	0	1·3	0	0	1·6
Berhampur (Ganjam)	0	0	8	.....			0	0	4	.....			.....		
Rajkot	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	3	.....			0	0	3
Allahabad	0	0	2·8	0	0	5·8	0	0	1·8	0	0	1·6	.....		
Lahore	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	2·5	0	0	3·5	.....		
Bombay	0	0	7·9	0	0	9·5	0	0	3·2	.....			.....		
Cawnpore	0	0	3	0	0	7·9	0	0	1·4	0	0	1·4	.....		
Delhi	0	0	3·5	0	0	4·5	0	0	1·7	.....			.....		
Madras	0	0	4	0	0	5·2	0	0	3·5	.....			.....		
Ahmedabad	0	0	2·75	0	0	4·5	0	0	2·5	.....			.....		
Barielly	0	0	2·4	0	1	7·2	0	0	1·8	0	0	1·2	.....		
Mirzapore	0	0	2·75	0	0	5	0	0	1·75	0	0	1	0	0	2
Muttra	0	0	2·6	0	0	8	0	0	1·5	.....			0	0	2

APPENDIX "J."

Statement showing quantity of soft coke on which cess has been collected by various Railways during the years ending June 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935.

Name of Railways.	Year ending June 1932.	Year ending June 1933.	Year ending June 1934.	Year ending June 1935.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
A. B. Railway ...	20,348	20,647	19,120	18,282
B. N. Railway ...	53,205	61,171	67,695	70,626
B. & N. W. Ry....	6,142	1,175	1,028	1,031
B. B. & C. I. Ry.	6,723	10,375	13,401	16,074
B. D. Ry. ...	541	628	554	629
Bhavnagar S. Ry.	53	18	104	353
Barsi Light Ry.	.....	34	21	160
G. I. P. Ry. ...	10,969	12,297	13,526	11,845
Gwalior Light Ry.	88	108	.....	.....
Jodhpur Ry. ...	420	509	685	953
Jamnagar & Dwarka Ry.	20	.....	70	186
M. & S. M. Ry. ...	508	823	747	1,323
H. A. Light Ry.	6,467	6,186	6,768	5,020
H. S. Light Ry....	475	392	527	161
B. B. Light Ry.	1,340	1,305	1,042	1,074
McLeod & Cy's. Light Rys. ...	22	.....	.....	.....
P. State Ry. ...	16	56	61	42
H. E. H. Nizam's State Ry. ...	21	54	21	19
R. & K. Ry. ...	394	1,180	1,423	1,316
U. C. Railway ...	.....	15	.....	.....
S. I. Railway ...	166	254	19	.....
N. W. Railway ...	33,951	40,344	54,019	66,699
McNeil & Co.	.....	136	.....	.....
E. B. Railway ...	198,184	200,541	206,666	205,639
E. I. Railway ...	413,685	473,520	516,515	522,200
Total ...	753,738	831,768	904,012	923,632

INDIAN SOFT COKE CESS COMMITTEE.



REFERENCE.

Circle No. on Map.	TOWNS.	Approx. cost per ton f. o. r. Rs. A. P.	Population as per census of 1921.
1	Calcutta with Suburbs and Howrah ...	7 4 6	1,419,321
2	Patna	7 8 0	136,230
3	Benares	8 15 0	205,315
4	Allahabad	9 1 0	183,514
5	Lucknow	9 8 0	274,659
6	Cawnpore	9 9 0	243,755
7	Agra	10 10 0	229,764
8	Bareilly	10 8 0	144,021
9	Moradabad	10 15 0	130,502
10	Delhi	11 8 0	447,442
11	Meerut	11 8 0	124,709
12	Amritsar	13 5 0	264,840
13	Lahore	13 10 0	429,747
14	Multan	14 12 0	128,457
15	Rawalpindi	14 14 0	119,284
16	Peshwar	15 9 0	121,964
17	Ajmere	12 13 6	119,524
18	Jaipur	12 4 6	144,170
19	Indore	13 4 6	127,207
20	Jubbulpore	10 7 0	124,469
21	Nagpur	10 13 0	215,013
22	Ahmedabad	14 9 0	270,000
23	Baroda	14 5 0	112,562
24	Bombay with Suburbs	15 4 0	1,337,243
25	Poona	14 14 0	163,196
26	Sholapur	15 7 0	130,439
27	Hyderabad (Deccan)	10 2 2	377,026
28	Karachi	16 14 0	360,620
29	Madras	14 5 0	647,230
30	Salem	20 4 2	102,281
31	Trichinopoly	21 4 1	141,610
32	Madura	22 5 10	132,067
33	Bangalore	20 6 6	306,365
34	Dacca	20 7 10	138,158
35	Rangoon	13 13 6 f. o. b. Rangoon	400,415

00108826

Digitized with financial assistance from

Government of Maharashtra

on 01 February, 2020